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CANDIDATES TO THE FORE

JUDGE CAULFIELD HAS MUCH
SUPPORT, FRED HULL SAYS.

LOCAL MEN ATTEND

Hyde's Decision Not to Run Leaves
Open Field—Leaders Want
Phares for State Chairman.

"The outstanding interest in the meetings of the Republican Editorial Association last Saturday and the Young Republican Club Lincoln Day banquet Monday night at Jefferson City revolved about the developing candidacy of Judge Henry S. Caulfield of St. Louis for the Republican nomination for governor and the decision of former Governor Arthur M. Hyde not to get into the race for United States Senator," in the opinion of Fred Hull, who, in company with W. P. Phares, returned this morning from the Jefferson City meeting. The two Maryville men went to Jefferson City Friday night.

Mr. Hull in speaking about the meeting said:

"The contest for the Republican gubernatorial nomination came close to a hand wagon scramble to Judge Caulfield Sunday when a long telegram from Victor Miller, mayor of St. Louis, announced the decision of Miller to put his influence behind the candidacy of Judge Caulfield. Already the St. Louis man had been pledged the support of the other Republican factional groups of his home city and the announcement of Miller made it unanimous.

An Open Field for Senator.

"Governor Hyde's decision to stay out of the race for the senatorial nomination probably elicited more comment among the milling throngs of Republicans than was occasioned by the development in the gubernatorial division of big politics because the Hyde withdrawal leaves an open field where the big political prize is to be contested for, and the entries not made. There are many who look with longing eyes toward the senatorial toga, but none of them had dared to take a chance so long as there was a probability that Governor Hyde might make the race. Dwight Davis, secretary of war in President Coolidge's cabinet, is understood to entertain a pronounced ambition to become a United States senator, and former Senator George H. Williams is suspected of being ready to respond to any clamor call that might be sounded in his direction. Both of these prominent Missourians were in Jefferson City, Senator Williams arriving Saturday to take a place on the banquet program of the editorial meeting and Secretary of War Davis arriving Monday morning.

Faust Could Get Nomination.

"It is our own Charles L. Faust that gets the really enthusiastic applause when his name is coupled with the Senatorial nomination, and there is no question but that he can have the nomination handed to him on a silver platter with all the trimmings if he will but say the word indicating his willingness to submit to the draft. But it is doubtful if Mr. Faust will say that word. He likes his place as congressman from the fourth district and he has reached a place of influence in the lower house of congress that gives him large opportunity for constructive work. Naturally, the Republicans up in this corner of the state are proud to find this great appreciation of Charles Faust and they are not disposed to place anything in the way of his advancement. But they also are proud of the fact that Faust prefers to continue as the representative of the Fourth district.

"Next to Faust in the list of favorites for the senatorial nomination is Roscoe C. Patterson of Springfield and there is strong probability he will get into the race if Faust holds to his determination to stay out. Patterson has served two terms in the House from the Springfield district, and at present is the United States attorney for the western district of Missouri. In this position he has distinguished himself as a vigorous prosecutor and has earned a reputation that should be valuable to him if he gets into the senatorial contest.

Redistricting Measure.

"One of the important developments of the Jefferson City meeting that has not been given the publicity to which it is entitled is the action of the Republican State Committee looking to the submission through the judges. A third will be chosen later.

Observe Sixty-First Wedding Anniversary

Judge and Mrs. Sam Hayworth of Near
Barnard Pass Day Quietly—County
Residents 52 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hayworth, living five miles west and one-half mile north of Barnard, are celebrating their sixty-first wedding anniversary today.

They were married February 14, 1867 at Moravia, Ia. They have been residents of Nodaway County since 1868, living on the farm near Barnard for fifty-two years.

Judge Hayworth was born near Moravia, August 5, 1846. Mrs. Hayworth whose maiden name was Miss Margaret Dyson, was born in Morgan County, Ohio, July, 1846.

Mr. Hayworth served as judge of the south district of the county court for one term, being elected in the fall of 1898. He has been a life-long Democrat.

H. T. PHILLIPS GIVEN HONOR

COLLEGE INSTRUCTOR NAMED
CHAIRMAN OF STATE COMMITTEE

BROTHER ALSO NAMED

Committee Will Fix Minimum Essentials
for Requirements of Teachers in State

Homer T. Phillips, chairman of the education department of the College, has been named temporary member of a state committee to prescribe minimum essentials for requirements of teachers in Missouri. This committee has been drawn up to represent the teachers colleges of Missouri, the University of Missouri, and the State Department of Education.

Dr. C. A. Phillips of the school of education of the University, a brother of Mr. Phillips here, has been appointed a member of this committee to represent the University by Dr. Stratton D. Brooks, president of the University. O. G. Sanford of the state department of public schools has been appointed by Superintendent Charles A. Lee to represent that department. Mr. Phillips of the College here was appointed by Roy Ellis, president of the Springfield State Teachers, who is also president of the college conference composed of the teachers colleges of Missouri. He will represent the teachers colleges in this work.

The committee will first seek to prescribe essential courses for the minimum teaching requirements in Missouri. When this is accomplished it will then endeavor to recommend a uniform nomenclature and content for the education courses in the state institutions of Missouri.

President Uel W. Lamkin of the College, in discussing the work of the committee this morning, pointed out that the work of the committee was not to tear up present curriculum, but rather to stabilize them.

The committee is not expected to finish its work until early in the summer.

Farm House East of Burlington Burned

Two-Story Building Owned by Elihu
Carter Destroyed When Sparks
Set Roof Afire.

A two-story house, located five miles east of Burlington Junction, and all of the household furniture were destroyed by fire about 4:30 o'clock this morning when sparks from the chimney settled on the roof. The fire was beyond control before it was discovered by the family. There was some insurance. The house was owned by Elihu Carter of Burlington Junction and occupied by Albert Hayes and family.

Barnard in District Debate On Thursday

Martinsville Debaters Will Come to
Barnard to Defend Affirmative Argument.

Barnard High School will debate the Martinsville High School at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at Barnard in the district league series. The winner will be paired in another debate.

Martinsville will take the affirmative side of the argument, while the Barnard team, represented by George Hargraves and Emily Turner, will uphold the negative issue.

U. L. Riley, Maitland, and Harry Hahn, Graham, have been selected as judges. A third will be chosen later.

ADDITION TO SCOUT TROOP

ANOTHER PATROL ADDED TO LO-
CAL ORGANIZATION.

MERIT TESTS GIVEN

Dinner to Be Served Next Monday
Night for Members of Scout Court,
Scouts and Parents.

Another patrol was added to the Maryville Boy Scout troop at the meeting of the scouts held last night at the Elk's Club. This makes a total of four patrols in the local scout unit, which is supervised by John J. Mutz, scoutmaster, and Chester Lyle, assistant scoutmaster.

The members of the new patrol are George Blue, Drexel Stone, Walter Wade, Arthur Pugsley, Jack Ford, Frederick Bailey, and Bradford Miller. One more boy is needed to complete the full quota of the patrol, and he is expected to be admitted shortly.

At the meeting of the scouts last night there was a number of tests given and arrangements were made to administer other tests which the members must pass to gain higher degrees of scoutship. The boys are eager to pass as many tests as possible soon for merit badges are to be presented next Monday at the first meeting of the local Boy Scout court of honor, a body whose duty it is to award badges to those who have passed the various tests.

Elaborate plans have been made for the first meeting of the court. It will be held next Monday night at 6:30 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. A dinner will be served by the women of the church. Members of the court of honor, the Boy Scouts, and their parents are to attend the meeting. Mr. Mutz is in charge of the preparations for the court meeting and invites everyone else who is interested in the work the scouts are doing to attend the meeting. He wishes to be informed by Friday of this week by all those who are to attend.

The members of the court of honor, which is made up of prominent business and professional men of Maryville interested in the work of the scouts are: Martin Lewis, jr., chairman; C. N. Deatherage; Phares Siggler; C. R. Gough; the Rev. W. S. Woodhull; Dr. R. C. Person; the Rev. R. A. Mitchell; the Rev. Guy L. Prather; L. M. Eek; F. R. Wolfers; John J. Mutz, secretary; and Chester Lyle, officer of the court. The chairman of the court of honor will preside at the meeting and present the awards.

Efforts are being made to have several leading scout enthusiasts in this vicinity also present at the meeting. H. Roe Bartels, of St. Joseph, chief scout executive of this area, may be present at the session of the court, along with other leaders in the Boy Scout movement at St. Joseph.

Rev. Guy Prather On Conference Program

Baptist Minister to Speak at Chillicothe
Next Week at Northwest
District Meeting

The Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, will speak next Wednesday in Chillicothe at a four-day meeting of the Northwest Missouri district meeting of the Minister's Bible conference. The Rev. Mr. Prather will give two addresses. He will speak on "The Lonely Jesus," as one of them. The subject of the other one has not been decided.

The Northwest conference is one of four which are to be held in the state. They are under the direction of the state superintendent of Baptist churches, J. B. Lawrence.

Other ministers secured to speak besides the Rev. Mr. Prather are: the Rev. George L. Hale, Trenton; Rev. W. W. Woodson, Carrollton; Rev. R. C. Gresham, Kirksville.

The principal speaker of the conference will be Dr. Walt N. Johnson, superintendent of stewardship, Mars Hill College, in North Carolina. Another speaker will be Dr. F. C. Fezzor, former head of the Bible department at William Jewell College, at Liberty.

Forty Degree Drop In the Temperature

A forty degree drop in temperature since Sunday was noted today by J. R. Brink, official weather observer. Mr. Brink said the minimum temperature this morning was 24 degrees. The thermometer reached a high record of 66 Saturday and 64 Sunday.

May tell Relations With Governor Jackson

Stephenson, Former Klan Dragon, to be
Permitted to Testify at Indiana
Governor's Trial

Confrontation, Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 14.—D. C. Stephenson, former grand dragon of the Indiana Ku Klux Klan, may tell the inside story of his relations with Governor Ed Jackson, Judge Charles McCabe ruled today in Jackson's trial on charges of bribery conspiracy.

Over objections of the defense, McCabe permitted Stephenson brought from the state penitentiary to testify—to answer a question which opened the way for the whole story of Klan influence in Indiana politics.

The ruling defeated a defense attempt to apply the statute of limitations to exclude Stephenson's testimony as is related to the alleged conspiracy. It was an outstanding victory for the state.

COOLIDGE FOR A NAVAL CUT

REDUCTION IN PROGRAM TO BE
SANCTIONED.

TOO MANY PROTESTS

President Says He Will Make Concessions
Because the Protests Have
Become So Insistent.

Washington, Feb. 14.—President Coolidge has sent word indirectly to the House naval affairs committee that he will be satisfied with a considerable reduction in the proposed naval building program, whose size has aroused so much protest, it was learned today.

The committee was informed the President will insist only upon the 27 men 10,000 ton cruisers proposed, and is willing to drop at this time the rest of the program, which consists of thirty-two submarines, nine destroyer leaders and five aircraft carriers.

The President is making these concessions because of the numerous protests coming to members of the committee, it is understood. The protests have become so insistent that the committee has decided to hear some of those in opposition, and they will begin to appear before the committee Wednesday.

The proposed changes favored by Coolidge have been discussed by the committee in executive session.

Representative Britten, Republican, Illinois, member of the naval committee, and staunch advocate of a strong navy, said after a call at the White House today that he would abandon his previous insistence on a five-year program, and hereafter follow President Coolidge who has held no definite time limit should be placed on the building program. Britten said, after consulting Mr. Coolidge, that he had been convinced the President's conception of completing the program as the treasury condition permits was the correct view.

Clover Conference Despite the Weather

Clover and Prosperity Meeting to Be
Held Here Tomorrow, J. Ross
Fleetwood Announces.

The State Extension Service is again facing prospects of inclement weather and had roads for the third annual Clover and Prosperity conference, which is scheduled for tomorrow at the courthouse.

Last year the delegates invited to the Clover and Prosperity had to plough through mud and snow to get to Maryville, and the weather today made J. Ross Fleetwood, county extension agent, pessimistic about the attendance.

However, Mr. Fleetwood announced that the conference would start on scheduled time in the morning and that the specialists from the Missouri College of Agriculture will be here to discuss legumes and the situation in Nodaway county.

The dinner for the delegates from each school district in the county will be served at the First M. E. Church at noon regardless of the number present.

The Nodaway County Bankers Association is giving the dinner, which the women of the Church will serve.

Mr. Fleetwood today urged the delegates to make all possible effort to be in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, living south of Wilcox, announce the birth today, of a son.

OPPOSITION TO HOOVER BEGINS

WILLIS TRYING TO EMBARRASS
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

LOWDEN FORCES OUT

Plan Underway to Guarantee North
Dakota Delegation to the For-
mer Illinois Governor

Cleveland, O., Feb. 14.—Maurice H. Maschke, Republican national committeeman from Ohio, announced today that he had withdrawn his support from United States Senator Frank B. Willis and would support Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover for the Republican presidential nomination.

BY PAUL R. MALLON

United Press Staff Correspondent
Washington, Feb. 14.—The Hoover opposition set out on the warpath today.

Senator Willis, displeased that the Secretary of Commerce is contesting his avowed "favorite son right" to the Ohio delegation, arranged for a meeting of the Senate commerce committee this forenoon to consider calling Hoover to discuss flood control.

The Senate Commerce Committee voted to call Secretary of Commerce Hoover to give his views on flood control.

The vote to summon him was regarded generally as a political move. Hoover's opponents desire to place him on record either for or against President Coolidge's plan for the affected states to share part of the burden of flood relief costs.

Simultaneously, the United Press was informed by North Dakota congressional sources that another Hoover opponent, former Governor Lowden of Illinois, has made conclusive arrangements with state Republican leaders to guarantee Lowden the North Dakota delegation at the Republican national convention.

Work was started at the same time among the three senatorial candidates, Willis, Curtis and Watson, for an alliance which would hold out to the last against the Hoover movement.

Meantime, official information came from the treasury department that Secretary Mellon, Republican leader of Pennsylvania, is still for an unqualified delegation there. This information was elicited in answer to questions as to whether the Secretary had changed his mind following Hoover's announcement of his candidacy.

And while these things were happening, Hoover was bound for Florida where he intends to fish for a short time before returning to his post.

There is therefore little possibility that he will appear before the commerce committee anytime soon, even if the committee decides to seek his views on flood control. The Willis move was dropped some time ago, but was revived because Hoover stated in his Sunday announcement that if elected he would carry on the policies of Mr. Coolidge. Much of the Hoover strength is centered in the Mississippi river regions where he directed flood relief work.

By placing him either for or against the President's plan, his opponents believe they can put him "in a hole." If he favors the President's plan, he will incur opposition in interested states, and if he favors the federal government hearing all flood control costs he will find himself in opposition to the President, whose policies he was announced he will pursue.

The North Dakota development is an unexpected coup for the Lowden forces. Arrangements previously had been made to get a "favorite son delegation" there for Governor Sorlie. The purpose was primarily to void any issue among the friends of Lowden and Senator Norris of Nebraska, both of whom were seeking the support of the state.

Hoover Willing to Appear.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Secretary Hoover will be "delighted to appear before the Senate flood committee and give them anything he has," it was stated authoritatively in his behalf today.

Hawes Votes to Call Hoover.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The Senate commerce committee, by a vote of 7 to 6, today decided to call Secretary of Commerce Hoover before it to talk on flood control.

The United Press learned that the lineup of the thirteen members of the committee present was 7 to 6 in favor (Continued on page 2).

Lindy Covered 40,000 Miles in 500 Hours

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and his "Spirit of St. Louis" traveled about 40,000 miles in roughly 500 flying hours when they arrived in St. Louis yesterday afternoon. Lindbergh's own estimate of his mileage and flying hours, given out at Panama, was 35,000 miles in 407 hours. To this has been added 1,702 miles; 31:44 hours en route to Virgin Islands; 250 miles, 2:05 hours to Santo Domingo; 1,000 miles 10 hours to Havana and about 1,248 miles, 15 hours to St. Louis or 39,200 miles in 465.49 hours.

This represents an average flying time of 84 miles an hour. His average up to his takeoff for Havana was given by the Guggenheim Foundation sponsors of his flights, as between 83 and 84 miles an hour.

LINDY'S TASK IS FINISHED

FLIER IS HOME FROM GOOD WILL
TOUR.

GREETED BY KIDDIES

Secretary of War to Impress Lindbergh
The Necessity of Eliminating
Long Flights.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 14.—Flying his silvery grey "Spirit of St. Louis," Col. Charles A. Lindbergh took off from Lambert Field here at 2:15 p. m., this afternoon on a welcome home flight over the city.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Secretary of War Dwight F. Davis said here today he planned "to impress upon Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh the necessity of eliminating these long flights."

"His task is finished," the secretary said. "He has cemented relations with foreign countries with rare diplomacy. There is no need for him to expose himself further."

"I would not presume to have him entirely eliminate his flying," Davis continued, "but the day when Lindbergh will fly over trackless jungles is past. He must not expose himself further in that type of flying, and I am going to try to impress on him the necessity of eliminating it."

Children Welcome Him.

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—School children of St. Louis, each bearing a miniature American flag, trekked to the Mississippi river levees here this afternoon in a colorful welcome home reception to Col. Charles A. Lindbergh.

More than 50,000 grade and private school pupils in charge of their instructors. (Continued on page 2).

SENATE SEEKS KNOWLEDGE OF FUND DEFICIT

Teapot Dome Committee Wants Demo-
crats to Explain How Campaign
Fund Was Reduced

Washington, Feb. 14.—Prominent members of the Democratic party will be summoned by the Senate Teapot Dome committee to tell how the party's 1929 presidential campaign deficit was reduced \$400,000 by 1924, Chairman Nye of the committee said today.

Nye said there had been no public record of the source of the \$400,000.

He recalled that in 1923 Harry F. Sinclair, oil millionaire, testified he had contributed in 1922 to the campaign funds of both parties.

"We want to learn whether Sinclair gave the Democrats any liberty bonds profits of the mysterious Continental Trading Company deal of 1921," he said. "We have evidence that he gave such bonds to the Republicans and we plan to subpoena Democratic leaders as well."

Subpoenas for officials of Potter and Co., New York brokers who handled some of the bonds Sinclair donated to the Republican national committee, were issued today by the committee.

These officials will be the only witnesses when the committee resumes its hearings Thursday, Nye said.

Democratic and Republican politicians to be called will not be subpoenaed until later, he added.

Chairman Nye said Wilbur W. Marsh of Waterloo, Iowa, former treasurer of the Democratic national committee probably would be called later to tell how the deficit was paid off.

CONDEMNED TO GALLOWS

SENTENCE IS PRONOUNCED ON
EDWARD HICKMAN.

"FOX" IS INDIFFERENT

Counsel for Convicted Slayer of Mar-
ion Parker Will Appeal to Su-
preme Court.

Goes On Trial Tomorrow.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 14.—Attorneys for William Edward Hickman late today planned an attempt to secure a delay. In the second murder trial for the former Kansas City high school boy, already under sentence of death.

"The Fox," who was sentenced today to be hanged at the state prison at San Quentin on April 27 for the murder of Marion Parker, was scheduled to go on trial tomorrow for the slaying of Ivy Toins.

Court Room, Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—

Condemned to die on the gallows at the San Quentin State Prison, April 27, William Edward Hickman, slayer of Marion Parker, today awaited with indifference transfer of the fight to save his life to the state supreme court.

In a court appearance of less than half an hour, Hickman heard his motion for a new trial overruled and listened unflinchingly to the pronouncement of the death penalty.

Scarcely had the last words of the solemn sentence sounded through the courtroom until Jerome Walsh and Richard Cantillon, his attorneys, were at the side of "The Fox."

To Make Appeal.

They attempted to reassure him and told him his appeal from the sentence would be carried immediately to the state supreme court.

Hickman listened to them almost with an air of indifference and hurried from the court room in the custody of his guard.

He was brought back a moment later to have his picture taken and stood smilingly while it was done.

Then he was taken back to his cell in the Los Angeles county jail, there to await his transfer to the San Quentin prison.

Only a deeper pallor than usual on his face betrayed emotion as he stood before Judge J. J. Trabucco and heard the death sentence. Not a muscle in his body moved.

The judge and some of the spectators seemed more agitated. Judge Trabucco nervously fingered the court record before him as he faced Hickman and pronounced the sentence.

Counsel Confident.

There was no lack of assurance in the manner of Walsh and Cantillon as they left the court room.

"We will be ready to file our appeal to the State supreme court within the next forty-eight hours," Cantillon told the United Press.

"We expected our various motions to be lost today and have been working for some time on the appeal papers."

In addition to overruling the motion for a new trial, Judge Trabucco also denied several other defense motions made in an effort to stave off the sentence.

Cantillon indicated that serious consideration was being given to the question of carrying the case of Hickman to the United States supreme court in case his appeal to the supreme court of California should be denied.

"Not Convicted on Crime."

Such an appeal, Cantillon said, would be made on the grounds that Hickman is being deprived of his liberty and life without due process of law, as provided by the federal constitution.

It is the contention of the defense that Hickman was never convicted of the crime for which he was sentenced.

Under the new California penal code, Hickman was tried on a plea of not guilty on the grounds of insanity.

The jury which heard Hickman's trial returned a verdict last Thursday holding him sane and he was ordered to appear for sentence last Saturday.

The sentence was delayed until to- (Continued from page 2).



Generally fair tonight and probably Wednesday; lowest temperature about 28 degrees.

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THEIR GREATEST MAN

(Lancaster New Era)

Somewhere in Belleville, N. J., there are two extremely fortunate men. Each of these men has an extremely fortunate son, and the family of each man is, we feel sure, a mighty happy one. Six hundred and twenty-eight schoolboys in Belleville were asked, "Who would you like to be?" More than half of the boys—363, to be exact—answered—naturally enough—"Lindbergh." President Coolidge, Edison and Henry Ford were grouped pretty closely in the next position. And away down at the bottom of the list were two votes cast for "Dad."

The percentage of boys who are able to make their fathers their chief idol is probably about what the poll would indicate—two in 628. The average man, if he is any sort of man, can win the affection of his son to be sure; and there is nothing much more soul-filling and heart-winning than the love of a boy for his dad. But generally the son doesn't idolize his dad.

Living in the close intimacy of the home, the son realizes that dad has his faults. He accepts them, shuts his eyes to some of them, gives his love and his loyalty; but when his school teacher asks him what man, of all living Americans he would most like to be, he answers "Lindbergh" or "President Coolidge" and forgets all about dad.

It is a wonderful thing to have a son at all. Merely to be a father is a great privilege. To feel your son's love and regard is a greater one. But blessed beyond all men is he whose son puts him on the very highest of boyhood's pedestals—above Lindbergh. Blessed, also, is the son who has a father to whom he can look up to in that way. The home that houses such a son and father is sure to be a happy one.

Search for Officers Halted Temporarily

La Fayette, Ind., Feb. 14.—Authorities today abandoned temporarily the search for the bodies of Deputy Sheriffs John P. Grove and Wallace McClure, and centered on accomplishing the capture of the escaped convicts, believed to have murdered the officers.

The manhunt for Samuel Baxter, 19, and John Burns, 20, who escaped a week ago while Grove and McClure were taking them to the State Reformatory at Pendleton, extended over the entire middle-west today.

A Kansas City Man Hangs Self in Hotel

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 14.—Suspended from a door by his belt, a man registered as R. M. Keller of Kansas City, was found dead in a local hotel here this morning.

When no response was made to a call which the man had left, hotel employees entered the room to find the body.

A verdict of suicide by strangulation was returned.

Mrs. Luvaata Nicholas was appointed administratrix of the estate of William E. Nicholas, who died February 7, by Judge Jesse F. Robertson in probate court today.

Blackmer Gave \$5,000 To Coolidge Campaign

Chairman Nye Makes Announcement to Teapot Dome Committee—Two Senators to Be Called

Washington, Feb. 14.—Harry M. Blackmer, oil man who fled to Europe to escape testifying in the Teapot Dome trials, gave \$5,000 to the President Coolidge campaign fund in 1924, Chairman Nye of the Senate Teapot Dome committee announced this afternoon. George White of Ohio, former chairman, and Wilbur Marsh of Iowa, former

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN



"I guess your conscience is made kinda like a radio. It don't work in daytime near as good as it does after dark."

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er treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, will be called by the Senate Teapot Dome committee to see if any of the 1921 oil deal profits were used to pay off the Democratic campaign deficit, Chairman Nye of the committee, announced today.

Prison Guard Charged With Peddling Drugs

Jefferson City Officials Believe Arrest Will Break Up Drug Traffic in State Penitentiary.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Charged with peddling narcotics in the state penitentiary, W. Y. Rich, guard at the institution, was held under \$2,000 bond today.

Rich, former resident of Osceola, Mo., was arrested last night by Federal officers and arraigned this morning before United States Commissioner F. J. Frommelt in federal court on a charge of violating the Harrison drug act.

His arrest, prison officials believe, may break up drug peddling in the penitentiary.

Rich was caught with a large quantity of narcotics and a pint of liquor, according to H. S. Forrer, federal investigator.

Lindbergh's Task Is Finished

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tors were estimated to have been in place shortly before 2 p. m., thirty minutes before Lindbergh was to appear in his "Spirit of St. Louis."

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 14.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's plans for the future include a home-coming flight over St. Louis today, a flight over his old air-mail route to Chicago next week, and little more.

"I really haven't made any definite plans," the youthful good will ambassador said frankly, modestly, in an interview following his unerring return here after a 1,250 mile non-stop flight from Havana.

He will continue in an advisory capacity with the Guggenheim fund for the promotion of aviation, he said, and "ultimately" will give his "Spirit of St. Louis" to the Smithsonian institute.

"It has flown 481 hours since leaving San Diego," he said, "and except that it has been used to a certain extent, it is in perfect condition and has many more flying hours in it."

The trip from Havana to St. Louis, Lindbergh said, was "without incident except for rough weather most of the way." Frequently he was unable to see the ground, occasionally he flew "just over the tree tops" and on other occasions he flew "perhaps at 6,500 feet." The plane functioned perfectly.

Lindbergh couldn't recall that he ever had had motor trouble with the Spirit of St. Louis. He was asked next why he did not take a parachute on his two-months' swing into Central and South America and back.

"Parachutes," he replied, "are useful in military maneuvers, formations, test flights and in air-mail work, but I don't consider them of any particular use in straight-away passenger flying of the type I have been making."

"What do you believe would have been the consequences of a forced landing of the 'Spirit of St. Louis' during one of your over-water flights on the tour?" he was asked.

The famous Lindbergh smile immediately appeared. There was a suggestion of a "ducking," but Lindbergh parried:

"That's one I'll leave to you to answer."

Lindbergh landed here at 5 p. m. yesterday, 15 hours and 35 minutes after hopping off from Havana.

Condemned To Gallows

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day pending decision on the defense motion for a new trial.

Defense attorney Richard Cantillon told the United Press that the defense would exercise their right to file an appeal to the supreme court two days after sentence is passed.

Cantillon said the appeal probably

would not be filled before Thursday.

Father Expected Sentence.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 14.—"It is nothing more than I expected," Thomas Hickman, father of the slayer of 12-year-old Marion Parker, said today when informed his son had been sentenced to the gallows for his crime.

The elder Hickman was at work on his crane in the Southern Pacific railroad yards when he was handed a dispatch from the United Press telling of his son's sentence.

Opposition to Hoover Begins

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Those demanding the calling of the secretary included two Republicans, William C. Johnson, Calif.; and five Democrats, Fletcher, Florida; Sheppard, Texas; Simmons, N. C.; Hawes, Mo.; and Tyson, Tenn.

Those opposed included two Democrats, Ransdell, La.; and Stephens, Mississippi; and four Republicans, McNary, Ore.; Dale, Vermont; LaFollette, Wis.; and Nye, N. D.; and two Democrats, Harris, Ga. and Copeland, N. Y.

This simple fact, relatively unimportant in normal times, took on unusual significance because it marked opening of the Willis-Hoover Presidential battle in Ohio.

Willis Is Surprised.

At the same time, Willis received news from Ohio that Maurice Maschke, Republican national committeeman there, had jumped to the Hoover band wagon taking with him six Ohio delegates.

Willis this afternoon issued a statement reaffirming his intention to fight for the Ohio delegation and declaring that Maschke's statement was surprising.

Willis forced the commerce committee to call Hoover with the aid of one other Republican, Johnson of California, and five Democrats, four Republicans and two Democrats voted against calling Hoover.

When informed of the Maschke announcement, Rep. Theodore Burton, Repn. from the Maschke district, announced he would be a candidate for delegate at large to the convention. Burton is for Hoover.

Candidates to the Fore

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initiative of a state senatorial redistricting measure. The movement was started at the session of the Republican editors when the resolutions committee brought in a report asking for the senatorial redistricting and providing for the appointment of a committee of five editors to appear before the state committee and ask that body to appoint an organization sub-committee to take charge of the work of preparing the petition and supervising its circulation. This was done at the meeting of the state committee Monday afternoon, and State Chairman Henry Kiel named a committee composed of O. E. Gorman, Springfield; Mrs. J. Cunningham, Bolivar; C. A. Mitchell, Clinton; Mrs. Sylvester Wells, Kansas City; Mrs. J. E. Allen, St. Louis, and myself. This committee will make its first report at the time of the state convention at St. Joseph, March 29. Discussion of the present unfair

THE GLEANERS



Road Maintainers of State Highway Will Wear Badges

Within the next few days, all employees of the State Highway Department engaged in maintenance activities will be wearing a brass identification badge on either their cap or hat a report from the department today stated. This move has been made by the department in order to assist the public in identifying state maintenance employees quickly.

The motives of the highway department in providing maintenance employees with badges, and the benefits they hope to derive from them, are to assist the public. It will aid the public to easily identify a state maintenance employee and thus feel free to ask for road information. They will know that a department employee will not charge them for any service rendered in line of duty. They will readily follow traffic supervision by department employees during times when such supervision is necessary. The public will not be timid of the approach of state employees during times of unseen traffic tieups. Motorists will be able to clear-

ly and definitely refer to an employee in reporting any discourtesy or civilities on the part of any employee, and they will be free, if they are aware of the fact, from misrepresentation of men claiming they are highway employees.

All of the 865 regular maintenance employees will be provided with the badges, which are 1½ by 2½ inches. The badge will display the words "Missouri State Highway Commission," and also will have the words "Courtesy-Free Service" on them, to inform the public of their mission.

The identification badges are to be numbered, and the employees are to be responsible for returning them should they discontinue work in the service. Rigid insistence will be made that all maintenance men wear these badges at all times during the hours they are actually engaged in maintenance work of the state system. Further, prosecution of anybody using a badge for misrepresentation will be rigidly enforced, the department asserts.

that takes prominent place in hotel rooms and lobbies. The meeting this year is said to have been the most largely attended of any in the history of the organization.

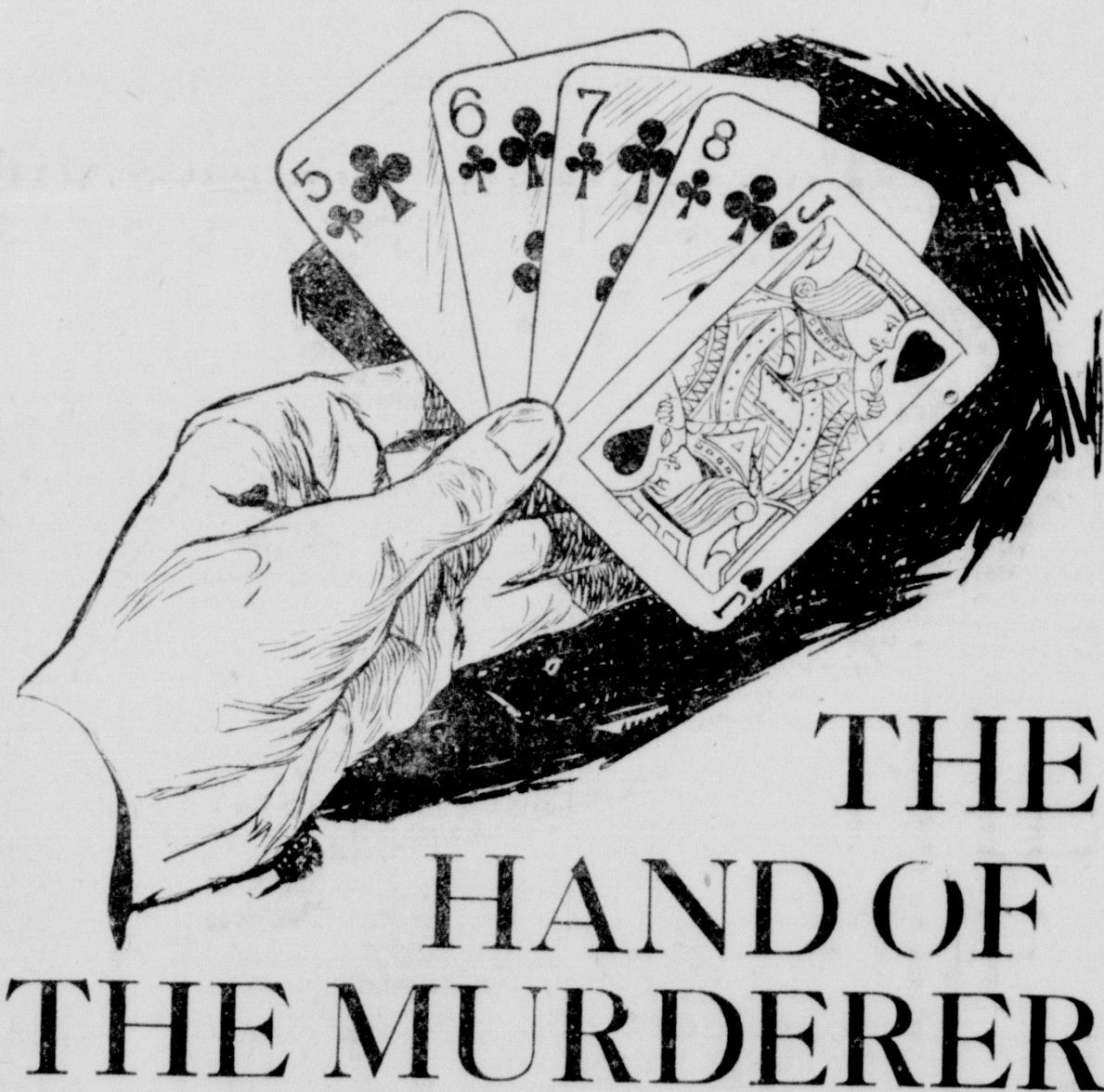
Talk National Politics.

National politics had its part in the meeting, and representatives of Lowden and Hoover were there to make their contacts with the followers of their chiefs. Missouri Republicans are pretty generally inclined to reserve their judgment as between the contending candidates for the presidential nomination, and to be free to vote in the national convention for the candidate that at the time seems to be most available. Of course, the scouts for Lowden and for Hoover are claiming the earth and it is easy enough for a partisan of either to get the proof

that his man is a sure winner. At this time an unbiased survey indicates Hoover has a substantial lead over Lowden in Missouri, but it isn't especially difficult to get a picture of a certain vice-president stepping into the limelight at the Kansas City convention.

Leaders Want Phares.

If the Republican leaders in the state could have their way about it, Will Phares of Maryville would be the next chairman of the state committee. His management of the 1924 campaign has marked him as an organizer of the first order and there is a decided demand that he accept the place again this year. But Mr. Phares says it is impossible for him to give time to political matters and he cannot be drafted.



THE HAND OF THE MURDERER

PHILO VANCE said to Markham: "Invite those three men to your apartment tonight to play poker. After the game I hope to be able to tell you which of the three murdered Margaret Odell. . . ."

The murderer, Vance knew, was a superb gambler, the sort of man who would risk everything if the stakes were high enough.

To tell what happened at that game would be to tell too soon one of the most thrillingly interesting episodes in THE "CANARY" MURDER CASE. But when the five cards pictured here forced four aces to drop, Vance knew that the man who held them was Margaret Odell's murderer.

Be sure to read about it in THE "CANARY" MURDER CASE. It is the greatest mystery story in years. It starts

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, IN THE DEMOCRAT-FORUM AND TRIBUNE.

SOCIETY

Will Meet Wednesday.

The Mothers' Club of the M. E. Church, South, will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Donald Smith, 320 West Halsey street.

Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luther entertained at Sunday dinner at their home, south of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hilsenbeck, Lois Hilsenbeck, Juvena Hilsenbeck, Maxine Hilsenbeck, Helen Luther, and Charles Hilsenbeck, Junior Hilsenbeck, Delbert Hilsenbeck, and Eugene Luther.

Dinner-Bridge.

Members of the Monday Afternoon Bridge Club and their husbands were entertained at 7 o'clock dinner last evening at the Smart home after which bridge was played at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Cook on West First street. Favors for high score were awarded to Mrs. M. E. Ford and Dr. Jesse Miller. Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ford were additional guests.

Entertains Senior Class.

Miss Hope Deshaizer entertained the members of the senior class of the Ravenwood High School with a Valentine party last night at the home of her parents near Ravenwood. Decorations suggestive of the day were used throughout the rooms and the evening was spent with games and music followed by refreshments. The guests included Eldon Steiger, superintendent of schools; Miss Bessie Patten, principal; Lawrence Evans, teacher, and Beatrice Brant, Una Newberry, Veshti Conn, Lucetta McKee, Don Warehime, Wayne Kessler, Estee Dack, and Hazel Wygal.

M. V. Club.

Mrs. Jesse Tanner was hostess to the M. V. Club Saturday afternoon. Our Bible reading was from the 9th chapter of St. John. The afternoon was spent with radio music and contests and a Valentine box from which all members drew a prize. Mrs. Otto Kluth drew the prize for putting the arrow nearest to the heart of the Valentine. The hostess assisted by Mrs. Will Kluth served sandwiches, fruit salad with whipped cream, cookies and coffee to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Orman Mitchell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kluth and Oliver Kluth, Mrs. John Kalsley, Mrs. Will Kluth, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bradshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Tanner. Mrs. Ervin Perry was a visitor of the club. The next meeting will be on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 25.

Lyle Community Club.

Members of the Lyle Community Club met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Lyle. A comfort was tacked for the hostess. The following program was given:

Song—Reuben and Rachel.
Lord's Prayer.
Roll call.
Business Meeting.
Talk, Mrs. Byron Estes.
Talk, Mrs. Ed Goodpasture.
Song, The Dearest Spot.
Dainty refreshments consisting of fruit salad, cake and coffee were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Beulah, to the following members: Mrs. Joe Robertson and daughter, Thelma; Mrs. Ed Goodpasture, Mrs. Hugh Lyle, Mrs. Ray Mowry, Mrs. Byron Estes, Mrs. T. H. Acklin, Mrs. Sam Lyle, and Mrs. Ervin Acklin. The next meeting will be an all day meeting, February 22, at the home of Mrs. Richard Maurer. The roll call will be answered with "Suggestions to Make the Meal Out."

Arts and Crafts Meeting.

An unusually large number of members attended the meeting of the Arts and Crafts department of the Twentieth Century Club held yesterday afternoon in the basement of the Elks Club. Mrs. J. Z. Curnutt, chairman of the department presided, and a discussion of the beautifying of some of the vacant lots in Maryville, was held as the first part of the program. Miss Anthony gave a most interesting and instructive talk on the art of mending and darning; going back in history to the time when women did their own weaving, the origin of textiles, etc. up to the present time, illustrating her talk with drawings of various kinds of patches and mendings. Mrs. Leonard Bosch, chairman of the program committee, presented some suggestions and thoughts for the next year's programs leading a general discussion of the subject. This discussion is to be carried over to the next meeting when a tentative program will probably be presented. The next meeting which will be held the second Monday in March will be a "garden" meeting, each member bringing to the meeting some idea of landscape gardening, care of flowers, etc., and a speaker will

"Princess Anastasia's" Arrival



(NEA Service, New York Bureau)

Close-hidden between two friends, Mme. Anastasia Tehaikovsky (arrow), who claims to be the youngest daughter and only surviving member of the family of the late Czar Nicholas, of Russia, descends the gangplank of the S. S. Berengaria at New York. Her much-discussed American visit is being made at the Oyster Bay, Long Island, home of Mrs. William B. Leeds, the former Princess Xenia.

Mrs. Russell Martin and children Meriam and Harold.

Baptist Women to Meet.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will meet with Miss Addie Yeo at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Party at Todd Home

Miss Mary Todd entertained a group of friends Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd, Red carnations, valentines and hearts were used throughout the rooms in decoration. Guests were invited for five tables and high score in the games was won by Miss Mary Lee Peck of North Carolina and Miss Gertrude Wray made low score. Miss Todd was assisted in entertaining and serving by her mother and her sister, Miss Winifred Todd. Miss Todd entertained guests for four tables again on Saturday evening, high score being made in

the evening by Miss Nell Castle of Graham, and low score by Miss Leola Miller.

Party at McMillen Home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillen entertained at three tables of bridge last night at their home in Pickering. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. David Robb, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Croxson, Mr. and Mrs. Pay Floren, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullen, Floyd Billingsley, Mrs. Fred Street, and Eva Laverne McMullen.

H. S. Class Entertained.

The members of the senior class of the Skidmore High School were entertained last night with a Valentine party at the home of Dr. Roy Morgan. Misses Lois McClanahan and Virginia Morgan, members of the class, were hostesses of the party.

Read the Want Ads.

Holton B. Fannon Dies At Fort Lyons, Col.

Former Resident Suffered Poor Health Will Be Buried at Ravenwood
Holton B. Fannon, brother of Clarence and Albert Fannon of Maryville, died at 9:45 o'clock Monday morning at Fort Lyons, Colo. Mr. Fannon had been in ill health and had been at the Fort for the past forty-two days.

Mr. Fannon was 30 years on August 4. He was born in Worth County and had lived in Nodaway County most of his life. He was in the World War, being in the Second Company, of the Second Battalion at Camp Funston for ten months.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. W. B. Fannon, Ravenwood; and four sisters and four brothers. They are: Misses Lettie, Delma, and Mary Fannon, at home; Mrs. Edith Mathers, south of Maryville; Albert Fannon and Clarence Fannon, Maryville; Emmett Fannon, at home; Olen Fannon, Risco, Mo.

Senator Norris Says Many Buy Senate Seats

Power Combine Investigation Will Prove Insult Not Only Guilty Man, Nebraskan States.

Washington, Feb. 14.—An investigation by the Power combines "will disclose Samuel Insull of Illinois is not the only man who buys seats in the United States Senate," Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, told the Senate today in contesting the move to amend the Walsh resolution so as to have the federal trade commission make the proposed inquiry.

"These men say publicity will ruin us," Norris said, "I think it will." "If they were honest they would want an investigation instead of trying to send this resolution to a commission which everybody knows will not take a single step to investigate."

"Insull made large contributions to the campaign of Frank Smith in Illinois."

Endurance Flight Again Postponed

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 14.—Adverse weather conditions and cross

winds from the northwest caused postponement today of the endurance flight of Al Henly and Joe Hart. An attempt will not be made until Wednesday morning.

Miller Will Carry Fight to U. S. Court

Motion to Stay Execution of Former Property Custodian Filed in Circuit Court of Appeals

New York, Feb. 14.—Counsel for Thomas W. Miller made a preliminary move today to carry his fight against conviction of conspiracy to the United States Supreme Court.

Robert S. Johnstone, Miller's attorney, filed a motion in the United States circuit court of appeals asking stay of execution of the mandate upholding Miller's conviction.

The application, which probably will be granted, will hold up, pending the supreme court appeal, Miller's removal to Atlanta federal prison to serve an eighteen months' term.

He was convicted of conspiring to deprive the United States of his unbiased service in permitting the return to Swiss interests of \$7,000,000 in German assets seized during the war.

NO HOPE FOR RECOVERY OF LORD ASQUITH

English Nobleman Has Become Weaker and Still Is Sinking, Bulletin From Beside States.

Stutton Courtney, England, Feb. 14.—Relatives at the bedside of the Earl of Oxford and Asquith today abandoned hope for his recovery.

"It is only a question of time," Sir Maurice Bonham-Carter, Lord Oxford's son-in-law said. "Although there is no change, we have given up hope."

Lady Oxford, worn out after forty-eight hours at Lord Oxford's bedside, which she left only for meals, refused to rest.

Lord Oxford has not been able to take nourishment for some time.

Lord Oxford still was weakening slowly at 4 p. m., (10 a. m. C. S. T.), a bulletin said.

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Jack Perrin—"Starlight"—"Rex."

Paramount News.

Ko Ko Cartoons.

Wednesday and Thursday—

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For cold mornings, eat

SHREDDED WHEAT

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Break up biscuits in saucepan, add water to cover bottom of pan, stir and boil until the mixture thickens. Salt to taste and serve with milk or cream.

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"It takes a Scotchman to truly appreciate that wonderful toasted flavor that comes in Lucky Strikes. I've smoked Luckies for years and all this time I've been active in my work which demands a clear voice for singing and good wind for dancing. And so I say to Sandy McGregor, 'It's always a bra bricht moonlicht nicht with Luckies—Hoot, Mon, they dinna hurt my wind or throat.'"

Harry Lauder



"The Cream of the Tobacco Crop" for Lucky Strikes,

says tobacco loose-leaf warehouseman

"I buy Tobacco—I sell Tobacco—I Fox-hunt for my occasional pleasure. In my business, I have noticed that in this Southland where tobacco grows, The American Tobacco Company buys 'The Cream of the Crop' for their LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes. I am glad to testify as to their quality; their growth is no surprise to me, because I know what goes into their manufacture."

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PUBLIC SALE

On account of my health, I will sell at public auction on the old Weiss farm, 3 1/2 miles northwest of Quitman and 7 miles southwest of Burlington Junction, beginning at 10 o'clock, on **Friday, February 17, 1928**

The Following Property:

Horses—1 black mare, 9 years old, wt. 1550; bay horse, 10 years old, wt. 1550; bay filly, coming 3 years old, gentle, wt. about 1400; bay horse, 9 years old, wt. 1350.

Cattle—1 red cow, 9 years old, extra good milk cow; 1 Jersey cow, 8 years old, be fresh in May; 1 red steer calf; 1 White-face heifer calf.

Hogs—4 tried Duroc sows, to farrow last of February; 2 gilts to farrow in April; 1 fat hog; 13 shoats, weight from 60 to 150; 1 Ozden Duroc boar.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 Winona Wagon, nearly new; 1 low steel wheel wagon; buggy; 8 ft. Deering binder; 6 ft. McCormick mower; McCormick 10 ft. rake; 1 double row Dempster Cultivator; 12-disc Superior wheat drill, press wheels and grass seeder; 2 walking New Departure cultivators; 1 John Deere lister, steel beams; 12 inch walking plow; 16-inch sulky plow; three 14-16 discs; John Deere lister and drill combined; 3-row stalk cutter; feed grinder; 3-section harrow, 5-8 inch teeth; double shovel; single shovel; cider mill; 700-bu. Slat corn crib; dinner bell; 1 set 1 1/4 inch leather harness; set chain harness; saddle and bridle; cable hay carrier, carries 70 feet of cable.

FEED—500 to 800 bu. good yellow corn if not sold before date of sale; 3 to 5 tons timothy and clover hay in barn. Double trees, scoop shovel, pitch forks and other articles.

USUAL TERMS.

Lunch by Epworth League of Quitman.

FRED WINSLOW

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

C. I. Hamm, Clerk.

I will sell at the same place on same date, the following: 6-year-old horse, wt. 1100; 5-year-old horse, wt. 1200; 4-year-old mare, wt. 1100; two 3-year-old mares, wt. 900; 4-year-old mare, wt. 1100; 4-year-old horse, wt. 1100; smooth mouth saddle horse; four 2-year-old fillies; 7-year-old saddle mare; coming yearling saddle mare. 25 Head Stock Hogs if not sold before date of sale.

Percheron Stallion, Registered Dallis No. 146907.

A. B. Graham

Phil Bennett Has Had Varied Career

Republican Gubernatorial Candidate
Is One of Family of Twelve
Children.

Editors Note: This is the second of a series of articles on possible candidates for Governor of Missouri. Members of both parties are included in the series.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 9.—Phil A. Bennett, candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, has had one of the most varied careers of any who have entered the field for the governorship of Missouri.

Bennett, present lieutenant governor of Missouri, is a native of Dallas County. He is one of a family of 12 children and his early education was received in four months' attendance each year in the public schools of Dallas County. He later attended Buffalo High School and the old Springfield normal and business college.

For a while he taught school, later going to St. Louis where he was employed as a stenographer for the Frisco Railroad. He gave up his stenographic position to purchase the Buffalo Reflex, which he edited until two years ago.

Besides the lieutenant governorship, Bennett served eight years as Republican county chairman of Greene County; two years as congressional chairman for the Sixteenth district, and two years on the state committee. He was elected to the State Senate in 1920 and as lieutenant governor in 1924.

Coming from a pioneering family, Bennett is somewhat of a pioneer himself. He introduced into Dallas County, the first cylinder printing press, the first newspaper folding machine, the first linotype, the first gasoline engine used in newspaper office, the first automobile and the first motion picture show.

To Kansas City for Treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton of Pickering and daughter, Marjorie, went to Kansas City today where Marjorie will take treatment for an injury to her neck which she sustained a few months ago.

Clara Bow's Condition O. K.

Hollywood, Calif., Feb. 14.—Clara Bow, screen actress, who underwent an operation for acute appendicitis was declared "resting easily" at a hospital here today.

THE GREAT WAR TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

FEB. 14, 1918—

American batteries lay down a heavy barrage in the Champagne sector, east of Rheims. Works of the Yanks recognized by a French official report which refers to the barrage as "very effective support."

Chancellor Von Hertling of Germany will begin German peace debate in the Reichstag Feb. 21. He promises to discuss the Ukraine treaty and the attitude of President Wilson and Lloyd George regarding the war.

To Install Officers Of Legion Auxiliary

Maryville Committee to Place Heads
of Burlington Junction Body in
Office Friday Night.

The officers of the Dick Munkres American Legion Auxiliary of Burlington Junction will be installed Friday night by an installation committee headed by Mrs. Garnet Gray Watt, district committeewoman. The installation will be open to the public.

Included on the installation team are Mrs. John Mutz, Mrs. Ray Harrison, Mrs. Sylvia Adeock of Ravenwood, Mrs. Clyde Keegin and Mrs. Fern Crull. The installation at Burlington Junction will be the first of a number of installations to be given by the team, which will go to Rock Port, Mound City, Ravenwood, Craig and St. Joseph.

No Final Argument In Harry Hill Trial

Ottawa, Ill., Feb. 14.—The defense executed a coup in the Harry Hill trial today by waiving its final arguments, thus preventing A. J. O'Connor, special prosecutor, from making a final argument for the state.

When the defense waived its argument, court immediately was adjourned until 1:30 p. m. when the judge will charge the jury. The case was expected to be in the jury's hands by 3 p. m. The case of Harry Hill, former Knox College student, charged with the murder of his mother, went to the jury at 1:37 p. m. today.

Appoints Creston Postmaster.

Washington, Feb. 14.—President Coolidge today sent the following nomination to the Senate: To be postmaster, Wilbur F. Busby, Creston, Iowa.

Read the Want Ads.

White Cloud Caucus Will Be On Friday

Democrats of Township to Meet February 17, Instead of Thursday as Announced.

The White Cloud Democratic caucus will be held at the Davis school house on Friday afternoon, February 17, instead of Thursday as announced yesterday.

The Democrats of the township will meet to select delegates to the county convention on February 17 and to recommend a man from that township to represent the county at the Democratic state convention at St. Joseph.

Oil Stove Overflows At R. C. Person Home

Fire Department Is Called to 203 West
Seventh Street at 6:30 This
Morning.

The fire department was called at 6:30 o'clock this morning to the Dr. R. C. Person home, 203 West Seventh street, where the overflow of an oil burner caused fears of a fire. No damage was done.

Hart House Quartet Is Most Popular in Can.

Musical Organization Has Gained
Wide Popularity After Five Successful Years.—Here Feb. 16.

What is accredited being Canada's most popular musical organization following a period of five years of successes is to present a program at the local Teachers' College on the evening of Thursday, February 15. It is the Hart House String Quartet, which is an endowed musical organization of the University of Toronto.

The organization of the quartet was the ambition of the Massey Foundation, founded by Vincent Massey—now Canadian ambassador at Washington. He sought to build up one of the great chamber music organizations of the world. His ambition seems to be realized, for the Hart House String quartet has received the plaudits of musical critics in all the great cities of the United States and Canada. Last year they were heard in seventy-four concerts, about one-third of which were given in this country. Their complete success may be judged by the fact that every seat is invariably sold for their series of eight or ten weekly concerts in Toronto.

For five years, the members of the Hart House Quartet have been at work developing their present repertoire. They have been constantly associated, even their summer vacations being spent together on a great country estate in Ontario. Thus they have been enabled to develop that perfect "oneness" which is the secret of string quartet success. The members of the quartet are Geza de Kresz, leader; Boris Hambourg, Harry Adaskin, and Milton Blackstone. The first two gained through a long period of work a reputation as two of the finest musicians of Europe, while the latter two are outstanding young Canadian musicians.

No Successor Chosen For R. E. Musgrave

Pulpit Committee of First Christian
Church Considers Applicants
From Eight States.

Nothing definite had been accomplished today by the pulpit committee of the First Christian Church in the matter of securing a pastor to succeed the Rev. R. E. Musgrave. A careful investigation is being made by the committee of all applicants.

Pastors from eight states are seeking appointment to the Maryville church. They are from Missouri, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Ohio.

Senator M. E. Ford went to Kansas City this morning.

Lee Meek went to Kansas City this morning to attend the motor show.

The condition of Mike Sturm, confined at the St. Francis Hospital, remained unimproved this afternoon.

W. C. Pierce was appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Sarah J. Richardson, who died last week.

L. A. King Sells Farm.

L. A. King has sold his 160-acre farm, five miles northwest of Ravenwood, to J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood at a cash sale.

Montana Visitors Here.

Mrs. Nannie Windsor and her niece, Mrs. Walter Weidman, of Livingston, Mont., arrived Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Windsor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reese. They will leave tomorrow for a visit in St. Louis, Chicago and Minneapolis before returning home.

Visits in Des Moines.

Mrs. Oren Lanning has gone to Des Moines, Ia., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Ervin Jeffries, a few days. Afterwards she will go to Cedar Rapids, Ia., to visit with an uncle, James E. Dickson.

Grade Pupils Have Valentine Parties

Second, Third and Fourth Grade Pupils of Franklin Ward School Observe Valentine's Day.

The third and fourth grades of the Franklin grade school were entertained at a Valentine party at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. A Valentine box and Valentine games amused the children until late in the afternoon when refreshments were served. The teacher is Leona Pfander.

The second grade also held a party in observance of the day. A Valentine box and games were the entertainments. Refreshments were served. The teacher is Miss Elna Scott.

The first grade pupils played Valentine games and were told Valentine stories by their teacher, Miss Vesta Wright.

M. H. S. Drama Club Gives "Solemn Pride"

Play Presented This Morning to Be
Given Again Friday Morning.—
Other Dramas Arranged.

"Solemn Pride," a one-act play was presented at 10:40 o'clock this morning before a joint meeting of the junior and senior Drama Clubs of the Maryville High School. The play is the story of Mrs. Bixby and the letter she received from Abraham Lincoln. It will be presented again Friday morning before the student body. Miss Augusta Quell is the director.

The dress which Laura Jean Murdoch wore in the play this morning and to be worn Friday morning, was formerly the property of General Grant's daughter.

A joint constitution of both was adopted. It was prepared by Ola Coats, Margaret Knox, Virginia Larmer and Lela Maul.

Next Tuesday the Senior Drama Club will present, "Where but in America?" Junior Cornutt will be the student director. Mister and mistress will be played by Erman Barrett and Neva Wilkerson. The maid will be Ruth Miller.

The Junior Drama Club will present at their meeting on February 28, "Spreading the News." The cast selected follows:

Bartley Fallon, Ford Bradley.
Mrs. Fallon, Mildred Jensen.
Jack Smith, Harold Knox.
Shawn Early, Kirby Boyard.
Tim Casey, John Lee Cockayne.
James Ryan, Donald Hall.
Mrs. Tarpley, Marjorie Lett.
Mrs. Tally, Lucille Watt.
Jo Muldoon, Junior Gray.
The Magistrate, Donald Warner.
Arthur Brewer will be student director.

Mrs. Haggard Visits S. P. Allison Family

Maryville Woman Returns From Ten-
Day Trip.—Allisons Are at
Charleston, Ill.

A week-end visit with the Rev. S. P. Allison and family, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, who now has the Charleston, Ill., Presbyterian pastorate, formed part of a ten-day trip from which Mrs. Charles A. Haggard returned yesterday.

Mrs. Haggard visited with Mrs. Edward L. Ryerson of Chicago on the first part of her trip and stopped off on her way home to spend the week-end at the home of Rev. Allison at Charleston. She states that Rev. Mr. Allison and his family wish to be remembered to their many friends in Maryville.

To Observe Founding Of National P.-T.-A.

The thirty-first anniversary of the founding of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers will be observed by the local Parent-Teacher Association by a program to be given Friday night at the high school auditorium. The program, which will start at 7:30 o'clock will be announced later.

Harvey L. Haines returned last evening from Kansas City where he attended the motor show.

AUNT HET



"A woman wouldn't worry about her husband marryin' again after she dies if she knowed he'd treat his second wife as mean as he does her."

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WILL SELECT 59 DELEGATES AT TWP. MEET

Democrats of Polk Township to Meet
at Courthouse Friday Afternoon.

—Leaders for Reed.

The Democrats of Polk township are requested to meet at the courthouse at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon for the purpose of selecting fifty-nine delegates to the county convention and to recommend four delegates from this township to the state convention. The call for this meeting was issued today by Chairman Lowell B. Campbell of the Democratic county committee and Polk Township committeeman.

Other township meetings in the county will be held Friday at the same time as the Polk township meeting to select their delegates.

The county convention will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the courthouse. It is expected the county convention will approve the recommendation of each township's delegate to the state convention.

The county is entitled to eighteen delegates to the state convention to be held at St. Joseph on Tuesday, February 28. The county committee at a recent meeting suggested each township in the county outside of Polk recommend their delegate to the state convention and that Polk recommend their four delegates.

The county convention is expected to endorse James B. Robinson of Maryville as one of the delegates from this district to the national convention at Houston, Tex.

It was predicted today there will be no trouble at the county meeting as many of the Democratic leaders are in favor of Senator James A. Reed for president.

To Show Historical Costumes at College

Gowns Dating Back to Italian Renaissance to Be on Exhibit at Assembly Tomorrow.

An interesting historical costume exhibit of gowns dating back to the Italian Renaissance and to the time of Empress Josephine will be given at the weekly College assembly at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning by the Home Economics department of the College under the direction of Miss Hettie M. Anthony.

These elaborate historical costumes have been furnished by a silk company. Several girls of the home economics department have been selected as models to wear these gowns. Music will accompany the display and the general public is invited to the Assembly to see the exhibit.

The following gowns will be shown: Empress Josephine dress, green velvet train, and deep cream satin underskirt.

Italian Renaissance dress, red velvet train, underskirt and trimmings of cut velvet, and black and yellow pearls.

Queen Elizabeth gown, magenta velvet train, underskirt of embroidered taffeta with a very large organdie headress.

Mme. de Pompadour gown, blue taffeta brocade, underskirt of pink taffeta, and garland of flowers.

Merveilleuse, (late directoire) costume, orange satin dress, and scarf and hat and slippers.

There are also six pieces of luxurious silk which accompanied the display a trunk of valuable tapestries will be sent later for display.

Wally Van, Comedian, At Missouri Friday

Former Pathe and Mack Sennett Actor
Brings Vaudeville Acts Here
Friday and Saturday.

The manager of the Missouri Theatre, Ray Cook, announced today the personal appearance here Friday and Saturday of Wally Van, well known movie comedian. Mr. Wally was formerly with the Pathe and Mack Sennett comedies.

The Wally Van and Co., which brings such clever vaudeville acts to Maryville, will give theater patrons an opportunity to see Skeets Gaither, a Southern comedian, and Reggy Harris, a former radio star, from stations

St. Joseph School Head Not Retained

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 14.—Charles A. Greene, superintendent of the St. Joseph schools, Monday night failed to be reelected for another term, when three members of the board voted against retaining him.

The vote was the climax of a bitter battle waged for months by J. S. Lucas, O. A. Zollinger and N. S. Hillyard, board members, to give St. Joseph teachers the preference in our school system.

Greene's term expires July 1. His successor has not yet been named. The present superintendent was first elected here June 20, 1924, and has served continuously since that time.

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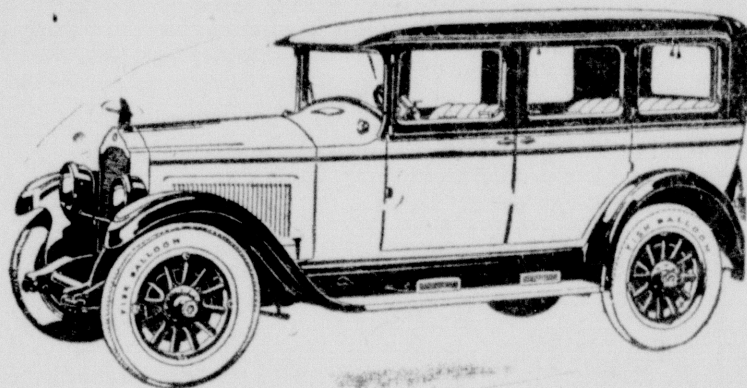
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PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the farm, 1 mile south and 1 mile west of Harmony Church, 5 miles northwest of Ravenwood and 8 miles northeast of Maryville, on **Saturday, Feb. 18, 1928.**

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following personal property: 16 Head of Horses and Mules—One pair mules, horse and mare, 6 and 7 years old; 1 pair black horses, 11 years old, wt. 3000; 1 pair mares, 4 and 5 years old, wt. about 3000; 1 pair mares, 8 and 12 years old; 1 black mare 7 years old; 1 coming 2 year old horse; 5 coming yearling colts, 3 mares and 2 horses; 1 Shetland pony, absolutely safe for children.

10 Head of Cattle—5 good milk cows, with calves by side. 41 Head of Hogs—9 brood sows, to farrow from March 15, to April 1; 32 stock hogs weighing about 85 to 90 pounds each. Grain and Hay—About 1100 bushels of corn, about 600 bushels of oats—same real seed oats in these, 15 bushels seed corn, hand picked early; about 20 tons timothy and clover mixed hay in barn, some timothy and clover seed.

IMPLEMENTS, HARNESS, ETC.—High wheel wagon with tight box, low wheel wagon with rack, McCormick binder, Emerson mower, McCormick rake nearly new, John Deere corn planter with furrow openers, 16—16 disc, John Deere sulky plow nearly new, 16-inch walking plow, John Deere lister nearly new, double shovel plow, single shovel plow, 3-section harrow, 2 cultivators—one riding and one walking, new endgate seeder, bluegrass stripper, 3 sets work harness—one nearly new, 2 saddles, and many other articles.

Terms—Cash, or see your banker.

L. A. KING

Col. C. C. Evans, Auctioneer. Farmers State Bank, Clerk. Lunch by Ladies of Harmony Church.

"Horse Lover" Gets Into Trouble Again

Frank Norman, Arrested on Charge at
Blanchard, Held for Bogus Checks
in Kansas City.

Frank Norman, alias George Arendt, who was arrested by Sheriff Lowell B. Campbell at Blanchard, Ia., last October, was arrested in Kansas City Sunday on a bogus check charge, according to the Kansas City Times. That paper had the following:

"George Miller, alias George Arendt, loves horses. In 1881 he was sentenced to two years in the Kansas penitentiary for stealing one. Last November he was arrested in Iowa on complaint of W. M. Grigsby, 442 Armstrong avenue, Kansas City, Kansas, from whom Miller had rented a horse and buggy a month earlier and failed to return. He was returned to Kansas City, Kansas.

"When Miller got out of jail Saturday he went to the Studebaker Riley Company cashed a \$29 check for him, and he gave another check for \$1,875, on the Stockyards National Bank, in payment for a car. The car was to be delivered later.

"The company learned from the bank the check was no good. At police

headquarters Miller, who is 65 years old, explained:

"I must have been pretty drunk to want a motor car when I love horses so."

Miller, who went under the name of Norman here, was driving a horse and buggy and told many people he was the personal representative of Governor Sam A. Baker and was investigating the progress of the state road work. He issued several checks in the county, it was said. He was returned to Kansas City, Kan., on October 26 on the charge of stealing the horse and buggy.

Charles Barrow Farm Home Burns to Ground

A six room house on the Charles Barrow farm, southwest of Maryville, burned to the ground about noon today. A defective flue is thought to have been the cause and the fire was beyond control when discovered. A part of the furniture was saved. The house was occupied by the Jim Huckleberry family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hawkins of Kansas City returned home Tuesday after visiting relatives and friends here.

SENATE FIGHT ON LOBBYISTS

RESOLUTION WOULD REQUIRE
THEM TO REGISTER.

DAWES CANNOT ACT

Vice-President Interested in Power
Concerns—Lobbyists Would Have
to List Expenses.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Vice-President Charles G. Dawes announced to the Senate today that he is financially interested in power concerns which the Senate would investigate under the Walsh resolution and that therefore he would decline to appoint the investigating committee if the resolution is adopted.

The development came at the outset of the bitter Senate power fight when Senator Walsh of Montana, called up his amended resolution providing for a committee of five senators to investigate the inter-relationship of power companies. Under the resolution the vice-president would appoint the investigators.

Walsh Presses Action.

Dawes made his statement shortly after Senator Walsh of Massachusetts had announced he would press for action on a bill to compel lobbyists to register with the Senate. Charges have been made that a great power lobby has been holding up action on the Walsh resolution.

Walsh of Montana agreed and altered his resolution, so as to provide that the Senate itself should elect the investigators.

Senator Thomas Walsh has charged that the greatest lobby Washington has ever known is working to defeat his measure.

Would Require Registration.

The proposed rule would require all lobbyists to account for their expenditures, make known the identity of their employers and employees, and divulge the nature of their operations in attempting to influence legislation.

Senator George of Georgia has an amendment providing for investigation of public utilities by the federal trade commission rather than by a Senate committee. Senator Walsh of Montana, author of the original resolution, considers adoption of the amendment would be tantamount to defeat of the entire proposition.

VALENTINE'S DAY DATES TO 15TH CENTURY

It Was the Custom Then to Exchange
Valentines—Some Say Observance
Is Even Older.

The celebration of St. Valentine's day each year by the exchange of valentines as an expression of sentiment is no modern custom. Chaucer refers to this custom in his time, which indicates that in the fifteenth century in England February 14 was a day belonging to lovers. The custom goes farther back than that even and historians connect the present observance with the festival in honor of Lupercus, in ancient Rome. Other authorities say that the day was first set aside to commemorate the anniversary of the death of a "St. Valentine" an early Christian bishop, who went among the poor of Rome distributing food and clothing.

Authorities conflict over the identity of St. Valentine, but it is generally believed that he was an early exponent of the Christian doctrine who suffered martyrdom under Emperor Claudius in 270 A. D.

Several historians contend that the origin of the custom of St. Valentine's day celebration is the direct descendant of the Roman Lupercalia, which was celebrated Feb. 15, originally the last month on the Roman calendar.

The festival was in honor of Lupercus, an ancient pastoral god who was later identified with the Aeneas Pan, protector of flocks against ravaging wolves. Ceremonies were held on the Lupercal, supposed to be the exact spot where Romulus and Remus, fathers of the Eternal City, were nurtured by a she-wolf.

Though there is some question over the origination of the observance of the valentine custom, there is one point on which all authorities agree. It is that the day has been one set aside for lovers, and being one's "valentine" in ancient days meant at least a year's engagement.

The Roman custom of the Lupercalia was for young men and women to gather at an appointed place on the evening of February 15 and draw names from boxes. It was understood that the young man would escort the lady whose name he drew for one year. In Chaucer's time, an exchange of gifts on February 14 meant that the couple were each other's "valentine" for one year.

HOUSE BOOMS SENATE BILLS

LOWER BODY CHECKS MEASURES
DISLIKED BY COOLIDGE.

STANDS BY EXECUTIVE

Not Expected to Pass LaFollette Resolution
Against A Presidential
Third Term.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The good ship "Congress" is nearly halfway in its annual journey.

The Senatorial section of the crew, dominated by Democrats and Western Republicans, is seeking to steer the good ship in a direction embarrassing to President Coolidge, but the House section, where Republicans are uppermost, succeeds in checking a turn in this direction. The progress forward, however, is slow.

Dropping the metaphor it might be pointed out that the House this session is acting to check politically-colored resolutions and measures disliked by the administration, which the Senate passes with an abandon only enjoyed with everything to gain and nothing to lose. President Coolidge, consequently, depends mostly these days on his House leaders. They are serving him well, lining up their majority to suit him.

The House this week will receive the LaFollette resolution declaring against a presidential third term. The last House members will ever hear of it officially is when the messenger from the Senate announces, formally, that the Senate has passed it. A similar resolution, by Representative Beck, Republican, Wis., is pending, but will never get from its committee pigeonhole.

This is the most recent senatorial act which the House will decline to duplicate. When the McMaster tariff resolution was presented formally to the House by the Senate messenger, it was laid unceremoniously on the table, despite a protest from Democrats. There it will lie until adjournment in June.

A similar fate, it appears, awaits the Jones Senate resolution providing continued government operation of the shipping board fleet. Hearings will begin soon on shipping legislation, but nothing that looks like the Jones resolution, which the president opposes, will come from the committee.

President Coolidge is depending also on the House to check any farm relief movement he does not like. The only compromise farm relief movement with any chance of success is that in the House, though farm members there have been wavering in their compromise feelings of a few weeks ago, and appear to be swinging back toward the equalization fee of the McNary-Haugen bill.

The House has passed half of its appropriation bills. The Senate accepted these measures quickly, with slight changes. All the supply bills should be through the House by March 15. Because of the Congressional situation, it appears now there will be little other legislation beyond these bills and a flood relief measure.

Even tax reduction appears doomed.

Communication

"The County Highway Status."

Maryville, Mo.,
Feb. 14, 1928.

To the Editor of the Democrat-Forum:

There seems to be some misunderstanding in regard to the status of the county road law providing for a system of 100 miles of county road in each county outside the 7,640 miles of state highway. This is no part of the State highway in the full meaning of the word "State Highway" except insofar as a portion of it may be sometimes taken over by the state to complete a connected system of state roads, which I have always contended would require from 250 to 360 miles, twenty-five or thirty of which belong to Nodaway county.

This is a county highway system. If the county or township have any immediate plan or desire to improve the road it will be done at the expense of the county or township under the supervision of the engineer of the highway department of the state who will make surveys, grades and estimates of cost. The intent of the law was to make it possible that every part of the county may be someday connected with and become a part of the state system, either by reimbursing the township or county for the improvement of the road, or building them on a 50-50 plan. The 50-50 plan, however, is proposed by some advocates of the \$75,000,000 bonds, if there is anything left. It is estimated that an all-weather farm-to-market road of 100 miles in Nodaway county would cost \$2,000,000.

Mr. Gary, who has made a study of road construction both in the United States and Europe, tells us that the interest saved on a \$75,000,000 bond issue, with the surplus, as we retire the \$60,000,000 bonds, would build 11,000 miles of farm-to-market roads on a pay as you go plan. Now it ought to be plain to us that to float another bond issue for thirty-five years in addition to the one we have now which will not be retired until 1942, if we have farm-to-market roads outside of a few counties adjacent to our large cities, we will build them ourselves and take chances on being reimbursed some future time which is very slim as we now have our auto and gas tax mortgaged until 1942.

The method of distribution of the proposed \$75,000,000 issue as proposed, is unreasonable and unfair. Giving preference to special counties and cities, which is without precedent. Reverse the proposition. Ask them to support it and see what they will tell you.

I believe this road program insofar as is considered the completion of the present highway system, without exceeding more than 360 miles additional road to connect up the system, should be pushed to completion as quickly as possible. This is consistent with good business. Counties and sub-divisions should be reimbursed and immediately following there should be an extension of a complete system of from fifty to one hundred and fifty miles of farm-to-market roads constructed in each county according to the needs of the county.

That should be carried on with all the energy and zeal that can be thrown into the work, with a full realization of what good highways mean in the development of the agricultural interests of our great state. To the building of highways and to the maintenance of those that have been built will depend largely the progress and happiness of rural life, educational, social and religious, which will also bring about the nation's fullest opportunities.

It does seem to me our populated cen-

Asquith Ill



After more than 40 years of public life, during which he was successively member of the British House of Commons, prime minister and member of the House of Lords, the Earl of Oxford and Asquith is reported seriously ill. Asquith is 75 and has been in uncertain health for several years.

ters should play fair and help to promote a system like this and give rural Missouri the same opportunity they have, instead of trying to mortgage all our resources for years to come to further their own selfish interest.

Yours,

WILLIAM JOEL

George Somerville Here

George W. Somerville of Chillicothe, brother of Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, was in Maryville today on business.

Miss Eva Gillespie, daughter of Mrs. Ira Gillespie of Clearmont, enrolled Monday in the Chillicothe Business College.

Tells How Joe Dew, Once of Maryville, Hunts for Deer

E. A. Drake of Spokane, Wash., has written a poem about his partner, Joe Dew, who at one time lived in Maryville. The poem has to deal with the manner in which Mr. Dew handles a gun "with a few variations," according to Mr. Drake. Mr. Dew moved to Spokane about twenty years ago. The poem follows:

There are strange things done in old Washington

By the hunter who hunts the deer.
The Calville hills hold untold thrills
Of deeds that are brave and queer.
Some stunts are old; some never told
And some there are that are new;
But the strangest of all was done this fall
By a fellow we call Joe Dew.

Now Mr. Dew was from old "Mizzo,"

But he reckons that means no ill
And he brought his gun on a buckskin
dun

Old mule from Maryville.
Joe would often say in his drawling
way

To a crowd of his old-time mates.
With a sort of a frown, "I can't settle
down

And stay out here in the States!"

Well those languid ways of Joe's early
days

Had left him with one mistake
Try hard as he might 'twas a losing
fight

For him to keep awake!
He would often say, "I will see the day
Just as sure as you are born

When I'll go back east for a gosh-
darned feast—
Paw-paws, persimmons and corn.

Joe hunted a spell and he shot right
well

When one bright October day
With his gun and hound he went hunt-

ing around

With some friends up Colville way.
And the sun came out as they roamed
about—

Such a day one seldom sees—
A warm wind blew up Cougar Slough
And brought the scent of the trees.

O, those pine trees' scent! It was never
meant

But that nature should he her best
Away out here where they stalk the
deer

In the Wild and Wolly West.
'Tis a queer thing how men will tell
you now

Of the pleasures of old New York;
And they'll rave to you about old
"Mizzo"

And their hominy and pork.

On this bright fall day Joe wended his
way

To a knoll of wooded ground
And he said "Well boys you can start
the noise

And drive the old deer around."
So they looked about and they started
out.

Though never a word was said,
Each hunter knew if a buck went
through.

That he was the same as dead.

For Joe's long pride was at his side—
That old-time shootin' gun

When down in the brush there was
heard a rush

And a buck came out on the run.
His limbs were strong and his strides
were long

For he'd scented a human toe
There was joy then in the bunch of
men

As he headed straight for Joe!

George said to Spence, "You'd better
commence

And get the coffee-pot filled;
And rustle some wood for that buck's
as good

As practically done been killed."
Now don't forget—no venison yet
Is good unless it is rare."

Then they stood aghast for the buck
had passed
And no shot was heard up there!

When they climbed the hill a-wonder-
ing still

And pondering how it could be
The sun's last rays shot a shimmer-
ing haze

On Joe asleep by a tree!
Next day to a man in old Spokane
They swore that, good or ill,

When hunting for deer they would al-
ways stay clear
Of a man from Maryville.

When Dew awoke it was thus he
spoke:

"Back East I think I shall ride."
But he later found he had lost his
hound

And the buckskin mule had died!

Deplores the Lack of Women's Femininity

Paris, Feb. 14.—"The twilight of woman is at hand," said Paul Valery, poet and "Immortal," when asked what he thought about an organization just started here "to fight against the growing masculinity of women." He added that "an unsexed caricature of man is taking the place of woman."

M. Valery declared it was the duty of all good Frenchmen to take part in the campaign to free women from "an invasion of masculinity." He said the aim of women should be to participate fully in social and political life of the community without losing her femininity.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin and daughter, Miss Mae Corwin, returned yesterday from a week's visit in Chicago.

If you smoke for pleasure



—get right up front
where the pleasure is.
Have a Camel.

The real object of
smoking is to enjoy it.

Camels

Camels lead by billions and keep right
on growing

The Blazing Horizon

BY ERNEST LYNN

THIS STORY THUS FAR

The story is laid in the Indian territory and along the Kansas border in the '80's, when a fight was being waged for the opening of Oklahoma to settlement. Chief characters are:

TONY HARRISON, orphaned at 13 when his father was shot in a poker game.

PAWNEE BILL, adventurer, teacher, Indian interpreter, showman.

JOE CRAIG, who takes Tony to the Bar K ranch to live.

TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K brand.

RITA, his daughter, with whom Tony later falls in love.

Moore is one of the chief enemies of the movement to open Oklahoma.

David Payne, leader of the "Boomers," dies and Tony in his loyalty to Moore is troubled because of his sympathy for Payne's cause.

He tries to forget his hopeless love for Rita and accompanies Pawnee Bill and Buffalo Bill on a wild west show tour.

When he returns he is unable to keep from declaring his love to Rita and when she admits she is engaged to another he disappears.

Pawnee Bill organizes his own show. Tony goes with it. It fails and Pawnee Bill is persuaded by the city of Wichita to go there and lead the Boomers into Oklahoma.

The fight finally is won. On April 22, 1889, the gun is fired that sends 50,000 homeseekers scrambling over the border in a wild rush.

Tony rides on to Guthrie which in one day is springing from nothing to a city of 8000. There he accidentally gets into the hardware business.

Mrs. Moore meanwhile has died and in Washington Titus Moore and Rita board a train to go back to the Bar K.

CHAPTER XLVI

When he dropped into his favorite haunt that evening for a quiet game of poker, Tony Harrison found the scar-faced Forbes standing beside the bar. Once more he was assailed with the feeling that somewhere he had encountered that face before, but to save the life of him he could not resurrect the image of a man with slick black hair and a short mustache and goatee. Most men, if they affected mustaches, favored the long, flowing ones with drooping or upturned ends. "And," he told himself, "it can't be the scar. I'd remember that anywhere."

He lingered nearby, that he might study the other's face unobserved; and presently Forbes, as if he felt unseen eyes upon him, turned around.

He smiled. "Have a drink?" he asked.

For a moment Harrison experienced the uncomfortable feeling of having been caught in an act of rudeness. "I don't drink," he answered as pleasantly as he could. "Some time ago I decided to get along without it."

"Most of us would be better off if we felt the same way about it," the man agreed pleasantly. "How about something soft—ginger ale?"

Tony hesitated. The man was courteous enough, and yet. "Generally," he said, "I don't permit a stranger to stand treat for me; but I'll break the rule if you let me buy the next one."

Forbes lifted an arm to signal the bartender. After he had given his order he said, "I won't beg a stranger much longer. I'm figuring on locating here."

"Going in business?"

"Drug Store. I've been looking over the ground to see if it would pay."

"You know we've got one, of course?"

Forbes nodded. "Room for another one—a good one. Thought I'd see how things were going in Oklahoma City, though, before I made up my mind."

"You know," Harrison said boldly, "I've been bothered by the notion that I've seen you before some place. Is that possible?"

"Been to Chicago?"

Tony nodded.

"Well, that's where I'm from," Forbes laughed a little drily. "Folks are not likely to forget this face," and he indicated the scar. "Bullet wound," he explained. "Ploved up my cheek considerable, didn't it?"

He shifted impatiently and glanced about him. "Got a poker game on," he explained apologetically and withdrew.

Harrison watched him as he sat down at a nearby table, and frowned. He heard his own name called a moment later and a bit reluctantly walked across the room and dropped into the seat that was reserved for him by his friends.

He played mechanically, with only a half-hearted interest in the cards; and from time to time he found himself staring absently toward the table where sat Forbes.

The man's back was to him, though, and Forbes presented nothing more than a sleek black head and a pair of broad shoulders.

"There's something on your mind, Tony," Fred Perkins laughed as he gathered in a sizeable "pot." "I raised the ante, drew two cards, and you called me with two little pair. That ain't natural for you."

Harrison shrugged and smiled. "Too much business, Fred." To Jenkins, the restaurant owner, he said, "That partner of mine thinks up more things for me to do than I can attend to in working hours and criticizes me when I carry them in my mind at night. All

right; deal me a hand—and look out for me. I'm out for blood."

He picked up his cards, saw two kings and announced: "She's off," and threw in a chip. Others clinked beside it.

"Everybody stays," said Jenkins, who was dealing. "How many cards, Harrison?"

"Three." When they fell in front of him he slipped them, unlooked at, between his pair of kings and shuffled the five cards, face down.

"Now let me peel down, Fred," he began—and stopped short.

There were four kings in his hand and an illuminating flash of memory darting through his brain. He turned quickly in quest of Forbes but the man had left—at least he was not at the table where Tony had last seen him. His eyes roved the crowded room. Not there. Very well—the hotel.

Leaving a winning hand and an uncashed stack of chips on the table, he pushed back his chair and darted for the door, his companions too overcome with astonishment for speech.

When he had vanished through the door, Fred Perkins leaned over the table and picked up Tony's cards. "Four kings!" he announced in feeble amazement, and slid back in his chair. "Now, what the hell—" he broke off, to stare weakly at the five cards.

In the street, Tony Harrison was saying to himself, "I knew it—I knew I wasn't wrong. Now, if he's only at the hotel—if he didn't get scared at what I said and light out—"

The way to the hotel led past his own store, which stood just two doors away from the bank. He proceeded at a run, stumbling now and then over a rut, for there were no street lights in Guthrie yet and the sky was overcast and black. The far-off rumble of thunder accompanied him down the street and once he tripped and sprawled his length on the ground, to pick himself up, cursing, and hasten on.

Far off a light shone through the blackness. From the bank, he told himself. It would be Morrison, the cashier, who religiously devoted one night a week to "checking things up." Morrison—what was it Morrison had said about the scar-faced man—that he hadn't inspired him with confidence?

"Morrison's own words," he whispered, and ran on.

His eyes, accustomed better to the darkness now, could discern fairly clear the gaunt outlines of the hardware store and the framework of the addition under construction. Perkins and Harrison, a "going" business—and nine years ago. . . .

A jagged flash of lightning rent the sky, flaring the makeshift building in all their starkness and giving him a brief glimpse of something else. He stopped with such abruptness that his hands sought the ground for balance. It could not have been his imagination, he told himself. Under that brief lightning flash he had seen horses moving outside the little bank, and Morrison, he knew perfectly well, had not ridden any of them.

His amazement gave way to rapid calculation and he stepped quickly toward the dark shadow of the store. It was all very clear now—the scar-faced stranger strolling from the bank from time to time and asking numerous questions under the pretense of an interest in Guthrie's business outlook. . . .

He slipped swiftly and silently from the hardware store to the building next door. Hugging it closely he cut around to the rear and then tiptoed toward the side facing the bank. He could make out three bulky shapes in the darkness and could hear the stamping of horses' feet. Beside them was the faint glow of a cigar or a cigar.

His mind revolved on various plans of action. Should he lie in wait until the bank robbers emerged and then open fire on them from his place of concealment? A safe course but not to be considered because of the uncertainty of hitting a man in the darkness. No—he would have to get to the bank and surprise them.

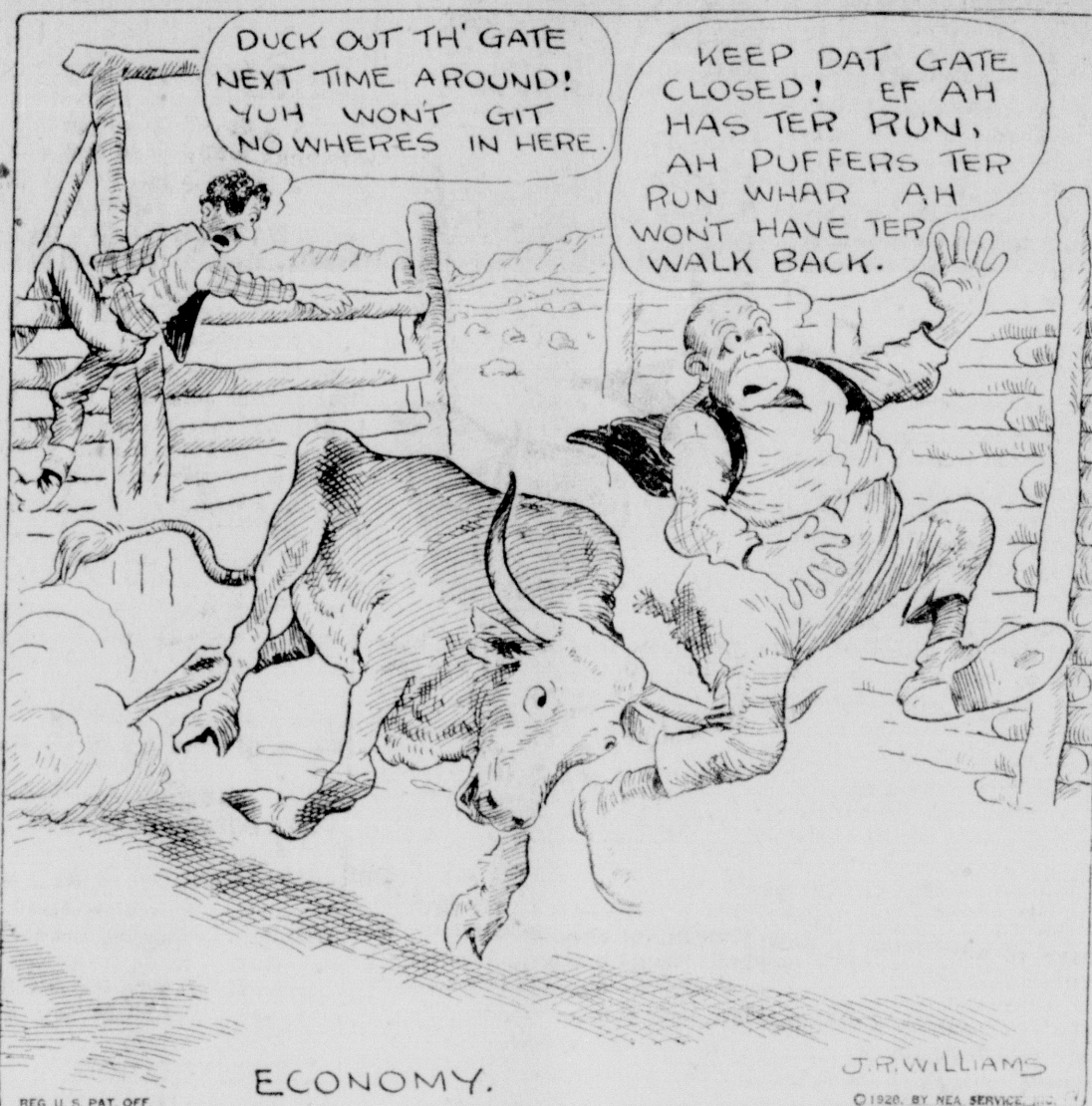
He fingered the holster at his hip, drew out the slender-barreled revolver and, dropping to his hands and knees, began a slow and silent progress toward the shapes in the darkness beside the bank.

A horse whinnied nervously and Harrison flattened himself against the ground like a snake. But he was reassured by the sound of a man's voice: "Quiet, you fool!" and presently he began to inch forward again.

From where he now lay he could see the horses quite clearly. There would be no danger of running into them. And the faint glow of the cigar told him which way his man was facing.

Then he was on his feet, wreathlike in the darkness. Before the man who held the reins could turn or utter a sound, Harrison had swung the butt of his gun against his skull and grabbed

OUT OUR WAY.



ECONOMY.

aim to ease his fall.

He spoke softly to the horses, then grabbed off the man's hat, peered at its face, felt with his fingers a swelling lump behind the other's ear, and let him lie. There would be, Harrison was satisfied, no signs of life from him for some time.

He felt a fierce exultation within him. Part of his task was accomplished; that for which he had waited and prayed many a day lay just ahead. He spoke once more in a reassuring whisper to the three horses and then turned toward the front of the bank. Two men inside with Morrison, and one of them. . . .

A sudden blaze of passion swept him as he crept toward the lighted window—a savage longing to get that other alone somewhere, to twist his fingers in his throat and hear him dead for his life like a beggar.

The door beside the lighted window, he noted, was closed. Removing his hat, he cautiously raised himself erect and looked over the sill. Morrison sat in a chair beside the safe, and in front of him, with leveled guns, stood two men. From the hands of one a half-filled sack dangled. The other, his eyes slitted with anger, was talking in a low tone, and Tony Harrison wondered then how he possibly could have failed to recognize him at first glimpse.

(To Be Continued)

Benton at last: In the next chapter Tony Harrison comes to grips with the man who killed his father.

Properties Exchange Ownership in Graham

Albert Zapf, Oscar Mowry and Harriet Wright are Purchasers in Recent Transaction

(By Ladies Guild)

GRAHAM—Several pieces Graham properties have changed ownership within the last few days. Albert Zapf bought the Cora Miller property recently owned by Mrs. Ed Black. Oscar Mowry has purchased the James Bond property which is being sold to settle the estate of the late James Bond. Harriet Wright bought the property owned by the late Mrs. Mary Swartz. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, will occupy this property about the first of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkins had for their Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Perry of Kansas City, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawford.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Hicks of Kansas City moved into the Methodist parsonage last Thursday. He was welcomed at the M. E. Church Sunday morning with a large Sunday School and good attendance at church, both morning and evening.

Some of the relatives and friends of Mrs. George Davis surprised her Sunday, when they arrived with well filled baskets to help her celebrate her birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Oren Stiversson and son, Glenn and Jimmy Eckles, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Parsons and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lance and children, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. John Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. James Pennington and family, and Susan Fleming.

The freshman class of the Graham high school entertained with a party at the rest room Monday night. Each member of the class invited a friend.

Miss Nellie Castle is the class sponsor. The Graham P. T. A. is preparing a

play to be given within the next few weeks, the date will be arranged later. The play is a comedy, entitled "My Irish Rose."

Mrs. J. B. Riggs who has been ill for some time from heart trouble has been very much worse the past few days.

Mrs. Alice Miller returned Wednesday from St. Joseph where she had been visiting for several days with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller and Mrs. Ella Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Alloway were Maryville visitors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. George Bennett went to Kansas City last Tuesday where she bought goods for her Burlington Junction store. She returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Geil and son, John Henry, of St. Joseph, and Mrs. Geil's sister, Miss Sibyl Tibbles, of Mound City, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott. Mr. Geil is manager of the Tootle-Scott shoe store in St. Joseph.

Miss Frieda Bennett spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett.

Mrs. C. B. McAllister of Maryville spent last week visiting her son, Loyd McGinnis and his family.

Gerald Hatfield came from St. Joseph Saturday night and spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hatfield.

The Older Boys and Girls Council will give a Valentine party at the rest room Tuesday night. Mrs. Lawrence Talbott is the sponsor.

The Union Prayer Meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday night. Mrs. Sophie Stieken is leader. The subject for study and discussion is, "Citizenship of the King dom."

The Christian Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Reed Noblett.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Sipes.

Mrs. E. L. Morgan will entertain the Ladies Guild of the Presbyterian church on Thursday afternoon.

Howard Manning of Skidmore, Lawrence Talbott and L. K. Russell drove to Paola, Kan., Saturday evening and returned Sunday afternoon.

Special evangelistic meetings will be held at the Christian church the first Sunday in March. These services will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Kitchen, evangelist, of Villisca, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McGinnis had for their Sunday dinner guests: Mr. and Mrs. Wils Ellsworth and son, Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ware of Skidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McGinnis and son.

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By Williams

into their property recently vacated by Joe Davis and his family.

The regular meeting of the pre-school circle of the P. T. A. was held Friday afternoon, with seven members present. The subject for discussion "Foods and Feeding" was led by Dr. E. M. Findley and followed by Mrs. Ralph Scott and Mrs. Ralph Miller and Mrs. Walter Russell. The meeting was closed with a social hour and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Taylor Atkins, who is employed at New Point, spent Sunday with his parents.

George Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Noblett went to Shenandoah, Ia., Sunday afternoon.

Miss Edith Davis, left Tuesday morning for her home at College Springs, Ia. She will assist her mother in preparing to move their household goods to Graham where they will occupy the residence recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bose.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Noblett and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Linville and Miss Grace Morris spent Sunday afternoon at the W. H. Morris home in Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geyer visited Sunday afternoon with the latter's sister, Miss Myrtle Haylett, who is teaching at Bolekow. Miss Haylett has been ill for several days and will be unable to return to her school duties for about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Miller and son, and Mrs. Ella Miller of St. Joseph spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Goodpasture.

Cassville—Plans are going forward here for erection of a community building. A plan outlined by a special committee has been approved by the Council.

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LOST—One black and tan female hound dog, black tail, Friday evening.—Return H. F. Lawrence and receive reward.

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Now is the time when you should have a car. Visit US and see the cars we have listed.
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Used Cars

1—1926 Whippet Coach.
1—1925 Overland Six Coach.
1—1922 Willys Knight Touring.
2—Ford Roadsters.
2—Buicks; Roadster, Touring.
1—1924 Overland Sedan.

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To make room for the trade-ins on the

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1927 Dodge DeLuxe Sedan
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1923 Dodge Touring
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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 28
WANTED—To do housework.—707 East Second Street, Maryville.
SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 29

FARM HAND—Experienced, with 17 year old boy would like a place by the month, with house furnished.—Address Box 41, Industrial City, Mo.

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Elmo, Mo.

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE

MULES WANTED—Bring them in or phone me. I will call and see them.—Jim Andy Ford.

FOR SALE—Six head mules, from 3 to 5 years old, 1200 to 1300 pounds, broke.—C. E. Holliday, Graham.

FOR SALE—A few good Duroc gilts. Walter Dieke, Farmers 24-17.

FOR SALE—Six Angus Bulls, 9 to 15 months old.—Frank Gwinn, phone Redison.

FOR SALE—Nine-year-old mule, good worker, weighs 1600 pounds.—C. E. Walton, Redison.

PETS ETC

FOR SALE—Man, Woman, and Child's best friend. German Shepherd Police dogs. I have some beauties. Farmers phone M. A. G. or Redison.

MERCHANDISE

ARTICLES FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Pair Arch Preserver Patent Pumps, S.A. worn twice.—Inquire Democrat-Forum office.

Read the Want Ads

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FOR SALE—Baled Timothy hay.—Mrs. E. J. Williams, 323 East Third, Hanamo 227.

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We buy, sell, exchange new and used furniture.
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FOR SALE—One 9x18 Wilton rug, practically new.—Hanamo 6459.

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Over twenty fine Used Pianos and Players, many like new. Some returned from parties unable to finish payments, offered at real bargain prices. Some as low as \$85. Southwestern Iowa's largest Piano House.

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Washer, Aluminum tub. Bargain.
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FOR SALE—Sanitary couch with mattress, \$5.00.—Call 3313.

WANTED TO BUY 38

BOYS AND GIRLS—Earn your spending money by selling junk, rags, papers, magazines, brass and copper.—Maryville Iron and Metal Co., 306 East Fifth.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

APARTMENTS AND FLATS 36
SOLID COMFORT—Furnished apartments now ready.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment.—Price Furniture Co.

FARMS LAND FOR RENT 41
FOR RENT—36-acre farm near Elmo; cash rent.—C. T. Wiley, Farmers 338.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42
FOR RENT—Seven room house, 1108 East Second, lights, water on porch. Call Hanamo 4515.

FOR RENT—Modern eight room brick bungalow, large basement, 1019 North Oak Street.—Call Adolph Lippman, Hanamo 562.

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE 43
FOR SALE OR RENT—Business building and fixtures in Shambaugh, Iowa.—Write or call and see A. H. Moore, Wiley.

FARMS, LAND FOR SALE 46
FOR SALE—120-acre farm. Well improved at a bargain.—J. G. Hostetter, 516 South Dewey, Maryville.

FOR SALE—An 80-acre farm seven miles west of town.—See Fred Winch, Wiley.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47
FOR SALE—Cheap, or trade for 40-acre farm, new modern bungalow, garage, full lot.—Inquire Democrat Forum.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE 49
WE HAVE a cash buyer for well improved 80 or 120 acres, close to Maryville. Must be well located and cheap for spot cash.—Yea Bros.

Postoffice Fixtures Installed at Quitman

Steel Fixtures With Automatic Locks Are Moved From Parkville by Mrs. Stella Ellsworth

QUITMAN—Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth drove to Parkville and brought back the new fixtures for the postoffice. It makes an improvement to Mrs. Ellsworth's office. The fixtures are all steel with automatic box locks.

John Pitts was a Maryville visitor Friday.

S. P. Jones is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Rooney, for a few days. Mr. Jones is store keeper for Slacker Billy.

Fred Leekey and Mrs. McNeley, his house keeper, went to St. Joseph this afternoon.

Fred Winslow is seriously ill at this writing.

Mrs. Riley Martin spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. D. J. Malven.

Marjorie Hankins of Burlington Junction was a Sunday guest of Evelyn Malvern.

Mildred and Maxine Walker spent Sunday with Margaret and Wilbur Johnston.

Mrs. J. O. Stafford of Burlington Junction spent Friday afternoon with

her daughter, Mrs. Stella Ellsworth. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Suttle were Quitman visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston were visiting C. A. Johnston Friday.

Henry Porter is sick at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Aldrich.

Mrs. Harry Wilson and children spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Bilby.

Miss Ethel Hoyt and Miss Elsie Fanning called on Mrs. W. W. Ellsworth Sunday afternoon and also visited Mrs. Hattie Moore.

Mrs. Lee Hankins was a Sunday guest of Miss Edna Brummitt.

Miss Cecil Culver spent the week-end with her parents at Clearmont.

Jim Argo will move on R. I. Bilby's place west of Quitman where Elmer Colwell lived. The Colwells will move to a place near Maryville.

T. J. Hart of Atherton, Mo., spent a few days of last week with his family here.

Mrs. Chas. Jones of Burlington Junction spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bailey.

R. I. Bilby was a Quitman visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis bought the Albert Aldrich place. Mr. Aldrich will move to St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Carden spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Ross. Mrs. Carden's parents.

Mrs. Herbert Argo and Mrs. Henry Argo were Quitman visitors Monday.

Chas. William McDonald is quite sick at this writing.

Chas. Suttle and family moved to the May Ackerman property Saturday and Mrs. Ackerman will move in her property vacated by Mr. Suttle.

Ellerton Ware is at home again after thirty-days as relief operator at Block No. 1 out of North Kansas City. He went from Kansas City to Clarinda, Ia., and returned today from a week's stay there.

Mrs. Chas. Ross is very poorly, not able to leave her home. She has been in poor health for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright and family of Maryville spent Sunday with Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gillinger.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bailey were Quitman visitors Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ira Sharp and Mrs. Harry Harris were shopping in Quitman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones, west of town, were Quitman callers Saturday.

Fred Winslow and family will move to his place in Quitman and Ed Winslow will move where his father now lives.

Dick Timmons, west of town, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Joe McDonald, one day last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett came home Saturday after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Slayden of Maitland.

Geo. Bilby has been unable to attend school on account of sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Nicholas of Burlington Junction and J. H. Section and J. W. Sexton of Freemont, Neb., spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brummitt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brummitt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glen. Mr. Glen is ill.

Must Return Liquor From Private Stocks

Court Decision Expected to Affect Thousands of Cases Regarding Federal Agents.

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Federal authorities who seize private stocks of liquor illegally, whether the possession of the liquor was legal or illegal, must return the confiscated wet goods to its owner, the United States Circuit Court decided here.

It was expected that the disposition of thousands of pending cases would be affected by the decision.

The decision was rendered in the case of Thomas Fabri whose home was raided by federal officers upon a search warrant and a stock of liquor seized.

Since the alienists and psychopaths have got so busy, we're getting a bit the sensitive about admitting that this country is an "international asylum."

FIGHT DIRECT SALE OF PIGS

NEWSPAPERS TAKE ISSUE WITH BIG PACKERS.

BLAMED FOR LOW PRICE

Packers Make First Defense Move by Issuing Pamphlet Upholding Their Actions.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Scores of newspapers in the southwest had taken up the fight against direct buying of hogs by packers today and the packers offered their first defensive move.

The Kansas City Post was the first metropolitan paper in this area to come out in direct opposition to the direct buying practice. The paper told of the number of hogs purchased by packers directly from farmers.

It also included mention of a price drop on the Kansas City market and indicated there is a direct relationship between the two.

Direct buying is opposed by commission firms and some farming communities of the Midwest on the grounds it beats down the hog market and will in time do away entirely with the centralized marketing system and consequently with competitive buying.

Under the disputed practice packers send representatives direct to the farmer to purchase pigs at the prevailing market price, less freight costs to the packing point. The policy does away with commission firms and packers claim it is commission men and not farmers who are objecting to the practice.

In a pamphlet issued by the Institute of American Meat Packers in defense of their actions, the practice was termed, "an economic development which is inevitable and is not a detriment to the livestock industry."

Direct buying was compared by the packers to development of motor transportation and it was said the practice had been turned to by packers so they might keep their plants going to capacity even though receipts of the central market were insufficient to make this possible.

"Moreover," the pamphlet continued, "it is optional with farmers whether they patronize the direct-buying method or ship their hogs to central markets." It was thus established that the question rests entirely in the hands of farmers—the group supposedly most directly affected by this practice.

In the pamphlet packers denied specifically that direct buying was responsible for or even had any effect on a reduction in the hog market. In an attempt to bear out this point the packers pointed to a decrease in hog production since 1923 and 1924 as a reason for the direct buying.

An increased market for hogs on the Pacific coast was also held to be responsible for a part of the reduction.

Packers declared emphatically that a reduction of receipts on the open market should tend to increase competition and consequently raise prices rather than having the effect described by proponents of legislation to restrict direct buying.

A 12-year-old New Jersey boy pointed a rifle at teacher when she refused to give back his dice. Moral: Teachers should not become involved in gambling affairs.

Alaska has instructed its six delegates to the Democratic convention to vote for Al Smith. The solid north is warming up to Al.

Kansas City Produce.

Eggs, firsts, 25c; seconds, 22c; butterfat, 42c; beans, 20c; broilers, 38c; turkeys, young toms, 30c; ducks, 17c; geese, 17c.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—Eggs 26c; rest unchanged.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

South St. Joseph, Feb. 14.—Hogs 8,000; moderately active, 10c to 20c higher; top \$8.20; bulk 170 to 240 pounds, \$8 to \$8.15; most 250 to 300 pounds averages \$7.80 to \$8.95; packing sows firm.

Cattle 2,300; calves 300; killing classes steady; good 1100 pound steers \$14; bulk steers and yearlings \$11.50 to \$13; veal top \$15; bulls strong; stockers and feeders unchanged.

Sheep 7,000; fat lambs mostly steady; choice 89 pound woolled wethers \$15.40; aged stock scarce, firm, with Monday's late 25c advance.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Hogs, 11,500; market slow, strong to 10 cents higher. Top \$9.20 on 180 to 220 lbs. 250 to 350, \$7.50 to \$8; 200 to 250, \$7.70 to \$8.20; 160 to 200, \$7.80 to \$8.20; 150 to 160, \$7.75 to \$8.15; 90 to 130 \$7 to \$7.50; packing sows, \$6.25 to \$7.25.

Cattle, 11,000, calves 1,000; market, fed steers weak to 25 cents lower. Other classes steady. Beef steers \$11.50 to \$14; light yearling steers and heifers \$9 to \$11; beef cows \$7 to \$9.25; low cutters, cutter cows, \$5 to \$6.50; vealers \$10 to \$14.50; heavy calves \$9 to \$11; bulk stockers, feeders, \$10 to \$12.

Sheep 9,000; market lambs 10 to 15 cents higher. Sheep around 25 cents up. Top fat lambs \$15.50; bulk fat lambs \$15 to \$15.50; bulk fat ewes \$9 to \$9.25.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK.
Omaha, Feb. 14.—Cattle 9,000; market slow, weak to lower; yearlings, \$10 to \$14.50; steers, \$10.50 to \$16.50; sows and heifers, \$7 to \$11.75; stockers and feeders, \$8 to \$13.25; calves, \$7 to \$11; bulls and stags, \$7.25 to \$9.75.

Hogs 17,000; market 10 to 20c up; bulk of sales, \$7.50 to \$8; top, \$8.10.

Sheep 15,000; market active, steady to strong; yearlings, \$10 to \$12.50; feeder lambs, \$11.50 to \$15; fat lambs, \$11 to \$15; fat ewes, \$4.50 to \$9.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.
East St. Louis, Ill., Feb. 14.—Hogs 14,000; holdovers, 2,200; market 15 to 25c higher; 250-350, \$8 to \$8.35; 200-250, \$8.20 to \$8.65; 160-200, \$8.45 to \$8.70; 150-160, \$7.25 to \$8.65; 90-130, \$5.75 to \$7.85; packing sows, \$6.75 to \$7.25.

Cattle 4,000; calves 1,500 market steers steady; shade lower. Beef steers, \$10.50 to \$13.50; light yearling steers and heifers, \$8.50 to \$11.50; beef cows, \$7 to \$9; low cutters, cutter cows, \$5.25 to \$6.50; vealers, \$17; heavy calves, \$8.50 to \$10.50; bulk stockers, feeders, \$7.50 to \$10.50.

Sheep, receipts 350; market steady. Top fat lambs, \$15.75; bulk fat lambs, \$15.70 to \$15.75; bulk cull lambs, \$19 to \$11.50; bulk fat ewes, \$8 to \$8.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.
By Department of Agriculture
Chicago, Feb. 14.—Receipts 9,000; fed steers slow but steady with recent decline; light yearlings easy; she stock weak to 25c lower; fat kinds showing most loss; bulls steady; vealers 50c to \$1 higher, active at advance; killing quality fed steers largely medium; bulk \$12.25 to \$14; early top, 1342 pound average, \$16; thin light stockers fully steady; meaty feeders in fairly liberal supply; most sausage bulls, \$8 to \$8.40; shipper kinds, \$8.35 to \$8.50; light vealers, \$14.50 to \$15.50; mostly \$15 to \$15.50; outsiders up to \$17.50; mostly \$16 to \$16.50.

Receipts 15,000; fat lambs fairly active to all interests steady to strong

ONE CLASS AT COUNTY FIVES TOURNAMENT HERE PLAY FEB. 25

M. E. SELEMAN ANNOUNCES RULES FOR DISTRICT MEET.

ANNUAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD HERE.

16 TEAMS TO ENTER AT HIGH SCHOOL GYM

Each Team Participating in Northwest District Basketball Tourney Can Use Eight Players.

Both Boys and Girls Teams to Compete—Board of Control to Make Further Plans Saturday.

There are several features in rules and regulations in the annual Northwest Missouri High School basketball tournament, to be held at the Teachers College here on March 9 and 10 which bear emphasis, M. E. Seleman, tournament manager, states. The tournament this year is to be composed of sixteen teams, the winner and runner up of each of the eight sub-district tournaments. There will be only one class in the tournament this year to decide the championship, and a consolation flight will be held in addition to the championship flight.

No team is eligible for the tourney play which has participated in more than sixteen games during the season, the rules dictate. Each team will be permitted to play a maximum of eight players. All players participating in the tournament must be certified on state eligibility blanks. The responsibility of using only eligible players rests on school authorities of the competing teams.

All of the teams competing in the tournament must be members of the Missouri and the Northwest Missouri High School Athletic Associations.

The Teachers' College will pay the transportation expenses of the winners and runners-up to the state tournament at Columbia. The winner of the consolation flight will be the alternate for the victors.

The Northwest Missouri district has been divided into eight sub-districts where tournaments will be held not later than March 2. Managers have been appointed for each of the eight sub-district tournaments. The managers and their districts are:

W. H. McDonald, Trenton Junior College, Livingston, Grundy, and Mercer counties; Price Collier, Richmond High School, Ray and Carroll counties; William Collins, William Jewell College of Liberty, Clay and Platte counties; Charles Meyers, Hamilton High School, Davies and Caldwell counties; E. J. Gale, Missouri Wesleyan College of Cameron, Clinton and DeKalb counties; W. W. Hurst, Palmer College of Albany, Gentry and Worth counties; N. P. Kyle, Tarkio College, Atchison and Holt counties; and M. E. Seleman, Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, Nodaway and Andrew counties.

The state has been divided into districts where similar tournaments to the one which is to be held here will decide the district champions. The winner and runner-up of each district tournament will compete for the state championship in a tournament sponsored by the University of Missouri. The district tournaments are held at Maryville, Kirksville, St. Joseph, St. Louis, Kansas City, Springfield, Cape Girardeau, Warrensburg and Rolla.

Sport Tabloids

By The United Press.

Wheaton, Mo.—Malloy McQueen, star third baseman at University of Missouri, will report to the St. Louis Cardinals' training camp for a tryout.

Fort Collins, Mo.—George W. Scott, one of the West's leading track coaches, has resigned his coaching position at Fort Collins high school because he believes dancing, allowed at the school, is injurious to athletes.

Kansas City, Mo.—E. W. Renfro, Dell Mont., won the international flyer championship at the annual winter trapshooting tourney here. Frank Etchen, Independence, Kan.; W. G. Warren, Chicago, O. B. Frantz, St. Louis and Sam L. Jenny, Highland, Ill., tied for second.

Bloomington Ind.—Indiana University defeated Ohio State, 43 to 26, in a big ten conference basketball game here.

Evanston, Ill.—Northwestern won from Iowa, 49 to 28, in basketball.

Ann Arbor, Mich.—University of Michigan defeated Chicago, 26 to 23, in a big ten conference basketball game.

New York—Lehigh University defeated Columbia University 21-6 in a wrestling meet.

Miami, Fla.—Joe Finn, of Chicago, won the qualifying medal in the first round of the annual Miami golf tournament.

Lindy Home From Good Will Tour



After a 7,860 mile good-will tour from Washington to Mexico City, Lindy completed his flight at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. Louis.

BEARCATS OFF TO TARKIO AT 6 THIS A. M.

Coach Lawrence Takes 11 Basketball Men to Compete With the Cagers of Tarkio College

The State Teachers College Bearcats left at 6 o'clock this morning for Tarkio where they will play the Tarkio College basketball men on the Tarkio floor tonight to close the season's card with the Missouri College Union members.

Coach H. Frank Lawrence took his entire squad except Leon Ungles and Doyle Knepper who were sick.

Those who went are: Paul Burks, Raymond Ferguson, Lloyd Harris, Orville Hedges, Howard Iba, Raymond McKee, Kenneth Swinford, William Smith, Riley Davidson, R. V. Johnson and George Adams.

In the first game of the season on the Maryville floor, the Maryvillians trounced the Tarkio quintet rather severely.

Two conference tussles are in view for Maryville Friday and Saturday of this week with the present conference leader, Kirksville. The local representatives were forced down the M. I. A. A. ladder over the week-end without winning or losing a contest, because the Kirksville Bulldogs twice defeated Cape Girardeau.

The two games on the Maryville floor this week will determine to a great degree where the Bearcats will be sitting at the end of the conference race. If they win both and then journey over to Kirksville territory and cap the ticket slated between the two teams there, Maryville chances will be good indeed.

Roy Fanning Sets New High Mark in Bowling

Puritan Cafe Team Captain Scores 622 in Three Games in Last Night's Matches.

Roy Fanning, captain of the Puritan Cafe bowling team and holder of the high score on the G. M. C. bowling alleys with 265 "went wild" last night and bowled 200 or better for three games and set a new individual high score for three games with 622. The Puritans won the last two games from the Wilcox club after losing the first. Shinnabarger was high thirty for the Wilcox club. The score:

PUDITAN CAFE—			
Mayer	121	175	194—490
Fanning	200	213	209—622
Arlington	171	180	154—505
TOTAL			1617

WILCOX CLUB—			
Booth	196	136	169—501
Bainum	131	129	155—415
Shinnabarger	182	160	166—508
TOTAL			1424

The second match last night was between the Nutty Three and the El Retinas. The El Retinas took all three games. The Nutty Three had only one regular player. Brennan of the El Retinas was high ten and high thirty. The score:

NUTTY THREE—			
Hughes	179	189	151—519
Woolsey	145	171	139—455
Buel	113	127	138—378

TOTAL			
Hiley	129	157	163—449
Gray	166	156	194—516
Brennan	202	184	188—574
TOTAL			1539

Tonight the Independents and the Missing Links bowl and the second match is scheduled between the Chevrolets and the Spic & Span.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Kelley and daughter, and L. N. Kelley of near Pickering were in Maryville yesterday, and Mrs. Kelley visited with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gordon today.

Freshman Girls Win Basketball Tourney

Yearlings Take All Honors in Intramural Contests With Teams Representing Other Classes

Girls' intramural basketball at the State Teachers College was terminated last week with the completion of the girls tournament in which the freshman team was easily the victors, winning over the senior sextet in the final round.

Nine girls were chosen for the mythical all-star varsity. These are: seniors, Margaret Putnam; sophomores, Sarah Davis, Kathleen Jones and Marguerite Curmatt; freshmen, Opal Hall, Leah Miller, Lois Carroll, Jaunith Marsh and Vera Fattig, who was appointed captain.

The allotment of freshmen gaining varsity recognition indicates the strength the pebes displayed in the tourney and during all the basketball season.

Swimming will be sponsored by the intramural sports organization during the rest of the quarter.

A large number of candidates reported this week soon after the call was issued. Captains have already been selected and class teams will probably be chosen sometime next week. The captains are: senior, Margaret Quinlan; junior, Virginia Dean; sophomore, Kathleen Jones; and freshman, Eleanor Montgomery.

Near the end of the quarter an intramural swimming meet will be held in the College pool and the four classes teams will compete in the following events: (1) plunge for distance, (2) 20 yard crawl, (3) side stroke for form, (4) 60 yard dash, free style, (5) back stroke for form, (6) life saving method of head carry, (7) breast stroke for form, (8) back stroke, for time, (9) boat stunt, (10) relay, (11) diving.

Creighton Loses to Hillyards, 30 to 29

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 14.—Nosed out in the final 15 seconds of play, Creighton University basketball team lost a close contest to the Hillyards of St. Joseph, Mo., 30 to 29 here last night.

Warrensburg Mules Defeat Triple C's.

Warrensburg, Mo., Feb. 14.—Warrensburg's Teachers College Mules never got behind in their court contest here last night with the Catholic Community quintet of Kansas City, and won a 39 to 31 battle from the visitors.

A great number of women in Chicago have taken up the game of pool, says a social reformer. Oh, well, they would, being familiar with pockets, etc.

Try this Fruit Sponge to day!

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Soak one-half envelope Knox Sparkling Gelatine in one-half cup cold water ten minutes, and dissolve in one cup hot fruit juice using any left-over canned or fresh fruit juices. Add one-half cup sugar, one tablespoonful lemon juice and some of the canned or fresh fruit, if desired. When mixture begins to set, add white of one egg beaten until light. Beat all well together. Turn into a mold first dipped in cold water and chill.

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WILLIAMS NOT READY TO FILE

HAS BEEN NAMED FOR SENATOR WITHOUT HIS CONSENT

BENNETT RAPS HOOVER

G. O. P. Candidate for Governor Says Secretary Has Never Served Republican Party

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Declaring that he is not a candidate for United States Senator, George H. Williams of St. Louis today authorized Charles U. Becker, Secretary of State, to destroy the declaration of candidacy and to return the \$100 filing fee to persons responsible for placing him in the primary race yesterday without his consent.

Williams said he had not authorized anyone to file his name as a candidate, and investigation revealed that a necessary filing fee of \$100 had been furnished by J. S. Driscoll of St. Louis.

Driscoll was present at a meeting of the Republican editorial association during which Williams made a speech denouncing prohibition.

The Republican senatorial situation was muddled further here late yesterday by the unauthorized filing of George H. Williams of St. Louis county, former senator, as a candidate to succeed Senator James A. Reed.

The declaration was filed with Charles U. Becker, secretary of state, by St. Louis County Republicans who were here to attend the Lincoln day meeting of the Young Republicans' Association. It was done without Williams' knowledge or consent, and unless he agrees to it, he is not officially a candidate. The former senator said he was not a candidate. The name "George H. Williams" was signed to the formal declaration filed with Becker.

Bennett Assails Hoover
Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Phil A. Bennett, lieutenant governor and

candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, assailed Herbert Hoover as a presidential possibility in a speech here yesterday.

Bennett indicated it would be ridiculous to think of nominating a man for president "who never has served his party and who is uncertain as to his own party preference."

"I want to call your attention to the fact," he said, "that if we win we must also have as our leader a Republican who has been tried by years of service and found not wanting in party loyalty."

Sorority Cooking Puts Two in the Hospital

Madison, Wis., Feb. 14.—More than thirty University of Wisconsin fraternity men who had their first experience with amateur cookery at a sorority dance were recovering today.

Chicken salad, prepared by pledges of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, was blamed. Two students went to the University infirmary. The rest were able to get home. All were out of danger today.

Set Date for Hearing On Livestock Rates

Examiners of I. C. C. to Be at Kansas City Thursday—Packers Seek Lower Rates

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 14.—A hearing on livestock freight rates to Kansas City will be conducted by two examiners of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The hearing will begin Thursday.

The hearing was brought about by stock shippers and packers who seek a reduction of rates. Railroads will be given an opportunity to defend their position.

The examination is a direct outgrowth of the Hoch-Smith congressional resolution asking the Interstate Commerce Commission to find the proper level of livestock freight rates.

Burns Denies That He Shadowed Jurors

Washington, Feb. 14.—William J. Burns, veteran detective, denied on the witness stand in the Sinclair-Burns contempt trial today that he had any connection with the shadowing of Fall-Sinclair jurors, which resulted in contempt charges against him, Harry F. Sinclair, and four others.

Read the Want Ads.

Asks Court to Decide Their Money Shares

Edwin F. Caldwell Brings Suit Against T. J. Workman, C. I. Hann and G. L. Johnson.

Edwin F. Caldwell filed a suit in the circuit clerk's office today against T. J. Workman, C. I. Hann and G. L. Johnson, for an order to pay into court \$924.15 which these defendants claim some interest in. The petition states the plaintiff is unable to determine who are the rightful owners of the fund and asks the court be permitted to pay it into court so as the defendants can interplead. The amount is the proceeds from the sale of some corn purchased from G. L. Johnson on lands owned by Workman.

Winter Returns, Snow Reported in Kansas

Snow is in Prospect for Missouri Late in the Day According to the Forecast

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Winter returned to the southwest last night and today snow was reported at points in Kansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska.

A flurry of snow was in prospect for Missouri later today with temperatures ranging between 20 and 26 degrees.

The cold spell follows a period of high temperatures, unusual for this section this time of the year.

Idaho G. O. P. Booms Borah for Presidency

Boise, Idaho, Feb. 14.—Another "Favorite Son" boom was under way today as Idaho Republicans went on record endorsing Senator William E. Borah for the presidency.

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